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Sex-assault victim's 911 call helps police nab suspect

Courage. Call came while attacker armed with boxcutter was still in woman's home: Cops

A man suspected of a Buckingham home invasion that

led to the sexual assault of a mother of three Tuesday was set to appear in a Gatineau courtroom Wednesday.

courtroom Wednesday.
Police arrested 35-yearold Walter Gagnon not far
from the victim's home
roughly an hour and a half
following the attack, based

ceived from the victim after the assault.

"They did not know each other," said Gatineau police spokesman Sgt. Jean-Paul Le May. "That's what makes this case so peculiar. It's rare."

Sgt. Le May said the attack happened early Tuesday morning when the assailant entered the victim's home through an unlocked door carrying a boxcutter at around 8 a.m.

"She is the mother of three," said Sgt. Le May, indicating the woman lives with her husband and children in a suburban Buckingham home. "Her children and husband had just left the house."

The victim was sexually assaulted and the assailant fled soon after, police said, but not before the woman was able to call 911.

"She was able to struggle her way out of the situation and was able to call 911," Sgt. Le May said, noting she escaped with minor injuries.

"The call was made while the aggressor was still in the home. Our dispatchers did a great job of calming her down and getting valuable information that led to an arrest." GRAHAM LANKTREE/METRO



ALL ABOARD THE LRT

Council gave unanimous approval on Wednesday to the \$2.13-billion LRT project. For more on the story, turn to page 4. Above, an artist's conception of one of the LRT stations. CONTRIBUTE

Local man rescued in B.C.

Ottawa snowboarder Sebastien Boucher is recovering after being rescued from a wilderness area north of Vancouver where he was stranded for two days PAGE 6

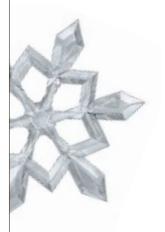
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Clinic offering free dental care to Ottawa's needy

Teeth. Organizers want to make free clinic an annual. citywide event



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An Ottawa dental clinic is offering "smiles on us" this Christmas with a plan to give free teeth cleaning, tooth extractions and fillings this Saturday to those who can't often afford them.

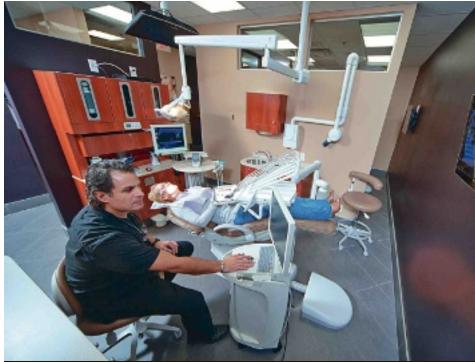
"Many people are going to the food bank this year. If they're going there, dentistry probably isn't part of their top five priorities," said Amanda Fayad, the business manager of Barrhaven's Chapman Mills Dental, which she co-owns with her husband, dentist Dr. John Fayad.

"Our goal is to treat 100 people. I think we're expecting to pull out a lot of teeth that day," said Fayad, who expects to see a lineup at the clinic. "We want to give them the opportunity to fill a tooth that they may lose later, or pull out teeth that are causing pain."
Fayad said that the clinic's

staff won't ask questions of those who visit. "We just hope that they can sleep at night if they aren't telling the truth. If vou're down on your luck and struggling to afford it, whoever is in line first will get in first."

The clinic couldn't do it alone, Fayad said, adding that sponsors have come on board and that the clinic will be staffed by four general dentists, one of the best oral surgeons in town, their assistants, hygienists and a number of medical doctors and nurses who wanted to help out triaging patients.

"As soon as I put the idea out, doctors approached me on their own," she said. "If you look into the latest studies, oral health is extremely important for your overall health, especially for children, where it has a preventative effect."



lills Dental, dentist Dr. John Fayad and his wife Amanda Fayad (in the dental chair

The most wonderful LOLs of the year



Gather together friends of friends who can dance, a singer from New York and the best Internet memes of 2012, and you have the makings of a viral-

worthy music video.

"The song was better than any of us ever expected," said Nick Tessier, an Algonquin College TV-broadcasting student who helped produce The Most Wonderful Memes of the Year. From grumpy cat to a new interview with Sweet Brown and McKayla Maroney's sourpuss face at the London Olvmpics, the video recaps 2012's most popular Internet sensa-

"I think Internet memes are something everyone can relate to. You can get a laugh from something so simple," said Tessier. "My favourite has to be Sweet Brown's cold pop escape. It's basically this woman from the south U.S. giving a TV new interview after her apartment building caught fire."

Tessier said his class wanted to top a video by last year's students that went viral with 590,000 views.

"Last year's video was a lot of fun and shot in the moment," said Ieremy Atherton, an instructor and co-ordinator of the program of the video

made by students in 2011 featuring Darth Vader conducting a flash mob of storm troopers. "But the bar on creativity seems to be getting higher. We wanted to showcase our production values."

Atherton said that student Eric Kummel, who adapted Christmas classic It's The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year, "hit all the touchstone moments in a clever way.'

Next year, he said, he hopes students will be able to top the 2011 and 2012s videos.

Watch the video metronews.ca.

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LRT. Rideau Transit Group to double bike parking

Ottawa's light-rail project received its anticlimactic final approval on Wednesday, with councillors voting unanimously to move ahead with a \$2.13-billion deal with Rideau Transit Group.

In a much more modest affair than the initial announcement two weeks ago, councillors gave a final set of directions to staff, made a few train metaphors and voted 24-0 to approve the deal.

Mayor Jim Watson once again thanked staff and councillors for seeing this iteration of the light-rail transit plan through. "I'm obviously very proud of this historic day in our city's history," he said before the vote.

"It's not often ... that we have a chance to make a decision that will have such a transformative impact on our ALEX BOUTILIER/METRO

city. It's one of those once-ina-generation or once-in-a-life-

time opportunities."

There was one significant change to the plan on Wednesday. Rideau Transit Group, the consortium that will build the 12.5-kilometre line, announced that it intends to double the amount of bicycle parking at the Confederation Line's stations.

'We understand the importance of cycling amenities in this city and we hope that this gesture will be well-re-ceived by Ottawa cycling advocates, Ottawa City Council and the general public," reads a letter from Riccardo Consentino, RTG's bid director.

Work on the Confederation Line is expected to start next year and be finished in 2018.

Campaign cash. Bloess unyielding on banning donations from developers

The only sitting councillor who voted against developer contributions to municipal-election campaigns said he'd vote the same way if the matter were to come up again.

Coun. Rainer Bloess (Innes) said he's voted consistently for the ban whenever it has come before council. He said that's not an indictment of those of his colleagues who accept cash from developers to cover campaign expenses.

'There's always a perception, and (a ban) is probably the purest, easiest way to put that perception to rest, even though I think it's a false perception," Bloess said on Wednesday.

A group of 30 community groups called on councillors to enact a suite of reforms to the way the city handles planning and development. Banning donations from developers who do work for the city was one.

Community concerns

"It's not like federal or provincial campaigns, where there are many layers between a given industry and the actual elected representative. At the municipal level, these councillors are directly approving or not approving individual applications on planning committee."

Jay Baltz, Hintonburg Community

The issue last came before council in 2009. Several councillors still sitting - Steve Desroches, Shad Qadri, Diane Deans, Eli El-Chantiry, Peter Hume, Bob Monnette, Ian Harder, Marian Wilkinson and Maria McRae — voted against the ban. ALEX BOUTILIER/METRO



No more duking it out over Somerset House

It's a deal. TKS Holdings to pay city \$650K in final settlement of lawsuit over troubled property



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City hall and a developer have resolved outstanding issues surrounding a longstanding eyesore on Bank Street.

TKS Holdings has agreed to drop a \$5-million lawsuit against the city and move ahead with the redevelop-

"I'm looking forward to that site being returned to its heritage designation."

Somerset Coun. Diane Holmes

ment of Somerset House, a heritage building at 352 Somerset St. W. TKS will also pay the city \$650,000.

In exchange, Ottawa City Hall will drop legal action against TKS and waive sidewalk-encroachment fees "as a sign of goodwill" as well as motivation for TKS "to act as quickly as possible in developing the site," according

to a motion read by Somerset Coun. Diane Holmes on Wednesday.

'We have reached a decision, an agreement with the owner that he will go ahead and fix the building that's partially demolished and return it to a heritage state," Holmes said after a council meeting.

"I'm looking forward to that site being returned to its heritage designation.

Holmes said the developer has had numerous potential tenants interested in renting at the downtown building.

An interview request to TKS was not returned as of press time. In late 2007, TKS undertook

renovation work without a building permit. The renovations resulted in a partial collapse, and led to a buildingcode order stating the entire building was at risk of collapse.

A partial demolition ensured the building stayed upright, but cost the city \$316,201, including over \$226,000 in legal fees, the city



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Homicide. Psychiatric assessment ordered for accused in murder trial

Keith Ru, who is accused of court appearance Wednesday, killing the man with whom he shared an apartment on an oversized white T-shirt. Meadowlands Drive, was or-dered to undergo a 30-day psychiatric assessment to determine if he is fit to stand trial.

Ru was charged with court Jan. 18. second-degree murder in the Police wer death of Jai le Zhao, 21, whose dead body was found inside a low-rise apartment on Dec. 6.

The accused appeared disheveled as he made a brief

sporting unkempt hair and He didn't say anything, other than a few whispered words to his lawyer, Oliver Abergel.

Ru is expected to return to

Police were called to the pair's apartment at 1189 Meadowlands Drive on Dec. 6 at about 3:30 a.m., where they found Ru and Le Zhao.

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Books on Beechwood. Mystery buyer saves shop from closing down



Workers at the Books on Beechwood store are breathing a sigh of relief after a longtime customer has saved the shop from closing its doors permanently.

Antoinette Employee Fracassi said the buyer, who is being kept anonymous for now, will take over the independent bookstore's lease

Store owner Jean Barton was planning to sell the business next month after serving the New Edinburgh community for more than 18 years.

"I feel great because it's like a little bit of a hub in the community. People come in, we chat, keep up on the news and they give us news. It's a great meeting-gathering place," she said.

Fracassi gets to keep her job, too. She said the new buyer ap-

proached Barton last month. The store will operate normally in the new year in the same location on Beechwood Avenue, and all five part-time staff will stay on.

JOE LOFARO/METRO



Snowboarder safe after two days in harsh mountains

In stable condition. B.C.'s North Shore Search and Rescue team finds Ottawan as snowstorm comes barrelling down

A 33-year-old snowboarder

from Ottawa is recovering after being rescued from a wilderness area north of Vancouver where he was stranded for two days.

Sebastien Boucher got lost on Sunday after straying out of bounds near the Cypress Mountain ski area.

Initial attempts to find him were hampered by poor weather and the risk of avalanches, but searchers managed to locate his tracks late Tuesday in a gully near the Sea-to-Sky Highway. A Cormorant helicopter

was brought in to lift him out of the area and take him to safety, where he was pronounced in stable condition despite his ordeal.

Boucher's mother, Micheline Simoneau,

praising the North Shore Search and Rescue team, calling them "angels" and "the best in the world."

The rescue came in the nick of time as a new snowstorm barrelled down on the Vancouver area following one on Tuesday that snarled morning commuter

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A different kind of school for trades

Trade School Co-op Ottawa. Forget tuition in cash — this new school will be all about barter, says founder



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A new school set to arrive in Ottawa in January aims to have its students trading everything from old blenders to iPods with their teachers in exchange for lessons.

"It's a free-form school that runs on barter. In lieu of a participation fee, teachers will come up with a list of things they want or need," said Shirley Manh, who plans to start the Trade School Co-op Ottawa on a \$1,000 award from non-profit Awesome Ottawa.

Classes will run the gamut of interests, Manh said. "There could be a class on how to bake bread. It's a skill a lot of people used to have but don't anymore. I imagine there are going to be a lot of creative

Detail

- Classes will run roughly 90 minutes.
- Classes can be a one-off or part of a series.
- There will be space for trade-school classes.
- The school will be a part of an international network, which currently offers singing for pleasure (Glasgow) and macrobiotic cooking (Barcelona).
- To learn more about the global Trade School network, visit tradeschool. coop.

classes," she said. "It's about getting people to recognize the capacity that lies in themselves and the community and all the talents they have to share."

With a barter school already established in Toronto, Manh was driven to start her own after spending a year working to avoid buying anything brand new. "I thought about how much stuff I owned," she said. "I made my own toothpaste and household cleaning products. Toothpaste is just baking soda, a bit of water and sweetener. I had to make it three times before I got it right."

The experiment, Manh said, connected her with Toronto's Shannon Simmons, a.k.a. the Barter Babe, who gave up her job to barter her expertise for items she needs. It also made her more aware of different ways of exchanging goods and services arising from the global recession.

ing from the global recession.

"I can't say it's the only thing affecting people to think of new ways to acquire goods and services," Manh said of the recession. "Craigslist, Kijiji and ride shares are becoming really popular. People want a connection to where their money is

going."

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New online scam holds computers hostage

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'Ransomware' locks your data, scares you into paying and may soon hit cellphones and businesses, experts say

Visit a porn site and you could have your computer locked down and an online ransom

demanded as part of a security threat now expected to spread to other areas of the cyber world in 2013.

It's called "ransomware" and the idea is to scare computer users into paying money to get their machine working again and their data back, said Kevin Haley of Symantec Corp., maker of software security programs.

"The scam is usually, 'Hev we see that you have pornography on your machine and

"It's not just going after people who visited pornographic sites, it's going after anybody."

Kevin Haley, director at software security company Symantec Corp.

we're the police and you're going to jail for it," Haley said — unless you pay a fine or "ransom," he added.

That means being told online by cybercriminals to buy a prepaid card with a specific amount. The user enters the card's PIN number on the computer keyboard's numeric pad, the only thing not locked down, Haley said.

Smaller corporations, executives and even individuals, all of whom may not have their data backed up, are at risk in 2013 as attackers broaden their base, he said. THE CANADIAN PRESS



Jerusalem

Holy site receives half a billion in cheques

Worshippers usually leave notes to the Almighty at one of Judaism's holiest sites. But half a billion dollars?

Rabbi Shmuel Rabinovitch, who oversees Jerusalem's Western Wall, said a worshipper found an envelope at the site Wednesday with 507 checks in the amount of about \$1 million each. They were not addressed to anyone, and it's doubtful they can be cashed.

Rabinovitch said most of the cheques are Nigerian. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Break-in

Freeze! It's the ice-cream thief

Don't call this one a cold

Windsor, Ont., police are on the hunt for a man who broke into an icecream parlour on Sunday and helped himself to some soft-serve straight from the machine.

Around 5 a.m., police were dispatched to the Twistee Treat kiosk on Wyandotte Street East. A surveillance video shows the man checking for money in the cash register before putting his mouth on the ice cream dispenser and flicking the

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do not have access to modern industry and supply chains.

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Hail the Cosmo Canuck!

Up, up and away. Chris Hadfield blasts off from Kazakhstan on a mission to head the International Space Station

Now call him Cosmo Chris.

Chris Hadfield has successfully blasted off from the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakhstan.

He was on his way Wednesday on a mission to become the first Canadian to command the International Space Station.

Hadfield is travelling to the space station on board a Russian Soyuz capsule for a five-month visit to the giant orbiting space lab.

He is sharing the trip to the space station with NASA astronaut Tom Marshburn Russian cosmonaut Roman Romanenko.

Governor-General David Johnston called Hadfield's launch "a great day for Canada, a great day for the world of discovery and innovation."

He joined the families of Canadian Space Agency em-



ployees at its headquarters south of Montreal to watch the event on a giant TV

"We're so proud that Chris Hadfield now is up in space the first Canadian to be

commanding the space sta-tion in March," he said. "And now we simply pray

for a continued safe mission and a safe return."

During his stay, Hadfield, an avid guitar player, plans to

do some strumming to help him deal with homesickness.

The 53-year-old space vet-eran will also be involved with more than 130 experiments including Micro-flow, a Canadian blood-sampling experiment which he compared to a hospital in a box. Hadfield will become the

first Canadian to command the space station during the second half of his mission THE CANADIAN PRESS

Pension surplus

Big unions lose fight for \$28B

The Supreme Court of Canada says several major public unions are not entitled to a \$28-billion pension surplus the gov ernment hived off to help pay down the deficit.

The court ruled 9-0 that the government is not obliged to return the funds.

The unions argued the government improperly took their money. THE CANADIAN PRESS

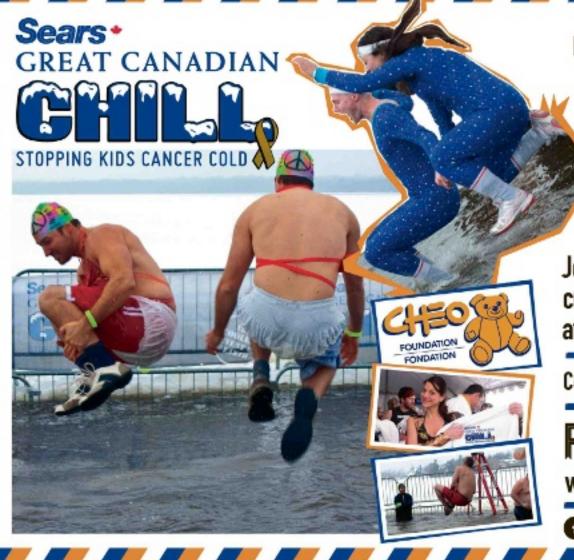
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Feds make point on immigration

The points system used to decide who can immigrate to Canada is getting a makeover.

The new judging criteria for the federal skilled worker program will award more points to younger immigrants and change the way the government looks at work experience and education.

The way points are allocated for language ability will also change. THE CANADIAN PRESS



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Smarten up. IQ tests are just too simple by half, researcher warns

A new study released Wednesday suggests IQ tests aren't all they're cracked up to be.

'I think IQ tests are a massive over-simplification," said Adam Hampshire, one-half of the team of researchers who

debunked the IQ myth.
"I would be incredibly skeptical of their results."

Traditional IQ tests favour one type of intelligence, said Hampshire. But people can be smart in multiple ways. Hampshire and his part-

ner Adrian Owen, from Western University's Brain and Mind Institute, created a new test that was able to gauge a person's intelligence in a variety of streams.

It was posted online and gathered tens of thousands of hits in just a few weeks.

"The day the initial trial went live, thousands of people signed on and they broke it," said Hampshire. "People started emailing their scores and putting them on Facebook, challenging their friends and it went viral.

"It was exhilarating and remarkably stressful."

The massive response gave the duo a broad sample of in-

How do you rate?

The average person scores 70 to 130 on an intelligence quotient

- The genius. Albert Einstein had a score of 160 and was a member of the high IQ society, as is Stephen Hawking with the same score.
- Take a test. Visit cambridgebrainsciences. com/the IQ challenge to take the new test and see where you stand on the intelligence spec-

formation about people from around the world aged 12 to

The study found that there are three main types of intelligence. One relates to shortterm memory, another deals with reason and logic, and the last shows a person's strength at variable testing. AMANDA GRANT/

FOR METRO IN LONDON

A new-year bow tie awaits Ikea monkey

Little primate's a viral star. Yasmin Nakhuda says Darwin was taken from her illegally and she's facing a court fight on Thursday

Yasmin Nakhuda has everything ready for her little monkey to come home:

A tiny Santa Claus suit for Christmas, a bow tie for New Year's, and a cottage rented in Kawartha Lakes, where it's not yet illegal to own a

On Thursday she'll be asking the court to return Darwin swiftly.

On Dec. 9, Darwin was found wandering in a north Toronto Ikea parking lot.
A photo of him in a faux-

shearling coat soon made its way to Twitter and from there spread around the world.

It even landed Darwin a nod from The Guardian newspaper in its 10 fashion moments of the year.

Bylaw officials asked Nak-



at 1300 Sheppard Ave. W. in a bid to get her pet monkey Darwin back. Darwin became an international viral sensation after being found in an Ikea parking lot. TARA WALTON/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

huda to surrender the animal and fined her \$240 under the Toronto Municipal Code for keeping a prohibited animal.

The opposing side in her court case is requesting an adjournment, something that would give Kawartha Lakes time to enact an exotic-animals ban already in the pipeline.

Speaking outside Toronto Animal Services, Nakhuda talked about the trauma.

"Unless you've owned a primate, you cannot understand what it is to lose one," said Nakhuda, who works as a real-estate lawyer.

About 30 supporters, many friends and family members, attended a protest Wednesday at Toronto Animal Services' 1300 Sheppard Ave. W. location.

Nakhuda's children — 16-year-old Omar and 12-year-old Misha — held signs that featured a picture of Darwin behind bars and read: "Free Darwin now!" TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Man arrested

Now the joke's on the clown

There was nothing funny about a clown who stopped by a credit union in Winnipeg.

The man — who police said Wednesday was dressed like a clown, complete with a pair of fake breasts — also had a gun and robbed the credit union of an undisclosed amount of cash.

A man was arrested later and is facing charges. METRO IN WINNIPEG

Canada not so jolly

Happy? You're in Latin America

The world's happiest people aren't in Qatar, the richest country by most measures. They aren't in Japan, the nation with the highest life expectancy. Canada doesn't make the top 10.

A poll released Wednesday of nearly 150,000 people around the world says seven of the world's 10 countries with the most upbeat attitudes are in Latin America.

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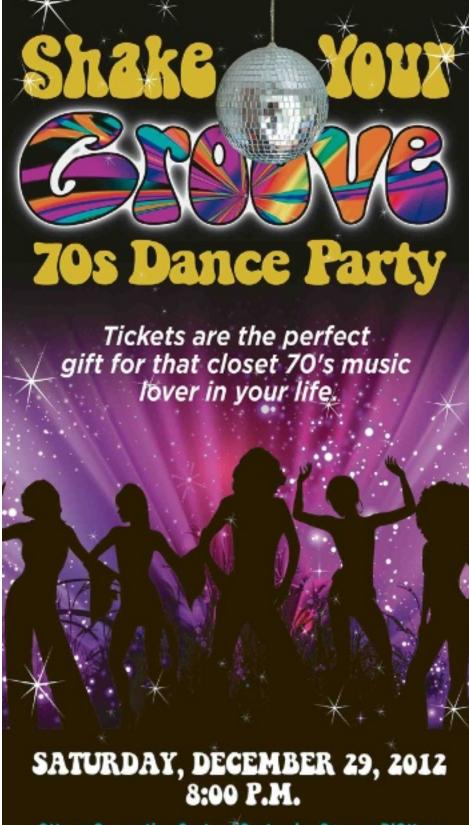
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Strauss-Kahn's legal problems not quite over

Lille, France. The only case remaining involves Strauss-Kahn's suspected role in a hotel prostitution ring

French judges decided Wednesday not to drop pimping charges against former International Monetary Fund chief Dominique Strauss-Kahn, according to his lawyers, who had sought to have the case thrown out.

The defence

vowed to appeal. Strauss-Kahn, 63, is fresh off a legal settlement reached in the U.S. last week with Nafissatou Diallo, the New

No convictions so far

"We are certain that **Dominique Strauss-Kahn** will be cleared of all charges against him."

Frederique Baulieu, the former IMF chief's

York hotel maid who had accused him of rape in May

That accusation torpedoed his once-illustrious political career, and was followed by other allegations of sex-related wrongdoing.

None has led to a conviction. The only case remaining is the investigation into Strauss-Kahn's suspected role in a hotel prostitution ring in

the northern French city of Lille.

An appeals court in nearby Douai on Wednesday maintained preliminary charges filed against Strauss-Kahn in March for aggravated pro-curement in an organized gang — meaning the probe can continue.

He is one of several defendants in the case, which allegedly involves prominent city figures and police.

A French writer also claimed that Strauss-Kahn tried to rape her in 2003 but prosecutors threw out her case because it happened too long ago. The one-time presidential hopeful resigned from his IMF job and saw his international reputation collapse. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Oshawa

Man accused of sexual assault at Gate 3:16 shelter

A man who worked and volunteered at an Oshawa shelter has been charged with sexual assault in several alleged incidents dating back up to 15 years. Police say a number of adult women recently came forward with the allegations. Earl Sanderson, 67, of Scugog Township, is charged with four counts of sexual assault. Anyone with information is asked to contact police. THE CANADIAN PRESS

U.K. British minister falsely accused by cop?

Detectives are probing "very serious" allegations that a police officer fabricated claims against a British MP who was forced to quit a cabinet post after being accused of insulting police with the term "pleb," the prime minister said Wednesday.

Andrew Mitchell quit as the government's chief whip after he was accused of hurling the word at officers who stopped him from riding his bicycle through the Downing Street gates. Last week, a police officer from the diplomatic protection squad was

arrested for alleged misconduct in public office. Channel 4 News has claimed the officer emailed his local lawmaker falsely pretending to be a member of the public who had witnessed the altercation. The email claimed Mitchell had called officers plebs. "A police officer posing as a member of the public and sending an email potentially to blacken the name of a cabinet minister is a very serious issue and does need to be seriously investigated, said Prime Minister David Cameron. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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Obama wants 'real progress, right now'

Tough tone. President invokes 2nd-amendment freedoms and recent spate of killings in proactive address

U.S. President Barack Obama on Wednesday demanded "concrete proposals" on curbing gun violence that he could send to Congress no later than January — an urgent effort to build on the growing political consensus over gun restrictions following last week's massacre of children at a Connecticut school.

It was a tough new tone for the president, whose first four years were largely quiet on the issue amid widespread political reluctance to tackle a powerful gun-rights lobby. But emotions have been high after the gunman in Friday's shooting used a semi-automatic rifle to kill 20 young children and six adults at the school. after

No excuses

"The fact that this problem is complex can no longer be an excuse for doing nothing."

arack Ohama

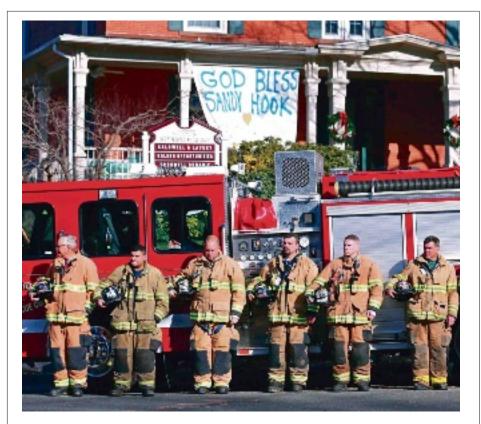
killing his mother at home.

"This time, the words need to lead to action," Obama said. He said he will push legislation "without delay" and urged Congress to hold votes on the bill next year.

"The fact that we can't

"The fact that we can't prevent every act of violence doesn't mean we can't steadily reduce the violence," Obama said.

The policy process Obama was announcing Wednesday was expected to include input from the departments of Justice, Education, and Health and Human Services. The Department of Homeland Security is also expected to play a key role. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Funeral processions continue in Newtown

Firefighters wait for a procession at the main intersection in the village of Newtown, Conn., on Wednesday, as they pay respects to Daniel Gerard Barden, one of the students killed during the Sandy Hook Elementary shooting. The small, quiet town has seen gridlock traffic caused by funeral processions, as well as the large number of national and international media covering the aftermath of the shooting. Barden, 7, was killed when the gunman, Adam Lanza, walked into the school last Friday and opened fire, killing 26 people, including 20 children, before killing himself.

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Going too far?

Bulletproofbackpack maker's sales up 300%

Parents reeling in the wake of the Connecticut school shooting are fuelling sales of armoured backpacks for children, as firearms enthusiasts stock up on assault rifles nationwide amid fears of imminent gun-control measures. At U.S. armour manufacturer Amendment II, sales of children backpacks and armoured inserts are up 300 per cent. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Gun laws in Canada

Tories repeal gun-show rules

The Conservative government has repealed federal gun-show regulations on the advice of the Canadian Firearms Advisory Committee.

The regulations would have required the sponsor of a gun show to notify police and the chief firearms officer of the province before an event, and to ensure the security and safety of the location and the guns. THE CANADIAN PRESS





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Wartime massacre

U.S. seeks death penalty for soldier

The U.S. army said Wednesday it will seek the death penalty against a soldier accused of massacring 16 Afghan villagers — nine of them children — during pre-dawn raids in March.

Staff Sgt. Robert Bales faces premeditated-murder charges. The slaying drew such angry protests that the U.S. halted combat operations. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Afghanistan

U.K. to withdraw 3,800 soldiers

Prime Minister David Cameron announced Wed-nesday that about 3,800 British troops would be withdrawn from Afghan-

istan by the end of 2013. Around 5,000 will remain into 2014, Cameron told lawmakers. The announcement comes after a video call Tuesday between Cameron and U.S. President Barack Obama.

Cameron said the decision reflects increasing confidence in the Afghan National Security Forces. After 2014, some troops will stay on to return equipment and deal with logistics, but no details on numbers have been finalized, he said.

The withdrawal of British troops will start next April, according to Defence Secretary Philip Hammond.

Since 2001, 438 British personnel have died in Afghanistan.

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U.S. President Barack Obama's selection as Time's person of the year was announced Wednesday on NBC's Today show. Obama also took the honour in 2008 as president-elect. TIME MAGAZINE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Barack Obama Time's person of the year — a second time

Going for three? President takes the win as 'architect' of a new America

U.S. President Barack Obama has been named Time magazine's "person of the year" for 2012.

"We are in the midst of historic cultural and demographic changes, and Obama is both the symbol and in some ways the architect of this new America," Time editor Rick Stengel told NBC's Today show, where he announced the selection on Wednesday.

The short list for the honour included Malala Yousafzai, the Pakistani teenager who was shot in the head for advocating for girls' education, as well as Egyptian President Mohamed Morsi, Apple CEO Tim Cook and Italian physicist Fabiola Gianotti of CERN.

Obama also received the honour in 2008, when he was president-elect.

In an interview with Time, Obama said his re-election "may have been more satisfy-

ing a win than 2008."
"We've gone through a very

Time's "person of the year" is the person or composite person who has most influenced culture and news during the past year, for good or for ill.

- **Last year,** Time honoured "the Protester," citing dissent across the Middle East that spread to Europe and the United States, saying the protesters reshaped global politics.
- In 2010, Facebook founder and CEO Mark Zuckerberg received the
- Earlier winners include Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke, Bono and former U.S. president George W. Bush.

difficult time," Obama told the magazine. "The American people have rightly been frustrated at the pace of change, and the economy is still struggling, and this president we elected is imperfect; and yet, despite all that, this is who we want to be." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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How will you spend your last night on Earth?



"I wouldn't do anything differently. I just don't see the

point. I'm not a crazy guy to begin with."

Evaan Kheraj, Vancouver



"I would probably spend it with my family and

friends. I don't really know what else to say."

Diane Leng, Calgary



what I'd really do because it's not

"I can't say

appropriate to print in a newspaper."

Luke Kellener, Fernie, B.C./Perth, Ont.



"I'm a space fan, so I would like to ... look up at

the outer world with (my son) one last time."

Barry Obondo, Edmonton



get a plane to Australia though I probably

"I would

wouldn't get there in 24 hours."

Elaine Fitzpatrick, Saskatoon



"I would live it up with all my friends and family

and I wouldn't even think about tomorrow."

Jaci Youngson, Regina

Doom awaits us — later

2012 prophecy. The world won't end on Dec. 21, experts say, but there are plenty of ways Earth could go



KIERON MONKS Metro World News in London

It was fun while it lasted, but it seems the world is ending. A growing clamour, based on the Mayan calendar, insists that Dec. 21, 2012, will mark the death of humanity. Even NASA has received thousands of terrified messages from the public

But the calendar has been misinterpreted, say experts, who claim the "end" refers only to the end of a cycle. The Mayan calendar is split into 394-year "baktuns," and 2012 will see a new era.

"The 13th Baktun will end on Dec. 21, and another will start," says Ines Valera-Silva, a researcher in Mayan studies at Loughborough University in the U.K. "That's all. A catastrophe has never been predicted."

Mayans today have stopped



using the old calendar, Valera-Silva adds. "There is no reason to interpret this as a prophecy, but obviously some people are excited by it."

Hollywood movies and social media have driven the debate on exactly how the world will end. One Facebook page with 13,000 fans suggests it will come from a cosmic

event

"The biggest threat is a comet impact," says Benny Peiser, catastrophe specialist and founder of climate policy network CCNet. "It happens every few million years and could happen at any time. Astronomers are scanning the sky for potential risks, and we need to solve the problem for good by

developing the technology to deflect asteroids."

More speculators believe a black hole will open and swallow us all. The fear led to widespread criticism of scientists working on the Large Hadron Collider, rumoured to be capable of producing a black hole.

Humankind may not need

cosmic forces to bring down Armageddon. The Cold War may be over, but the number of nuclear nations has grown swiftly — and with it, the risk of a "final war."

of a "final war."

"It's no secret how to make the weapons and it's not hard to think of people crazy enough to use them," says Alan Robock, environmental scientist at Rutgers University and author of Nuclear Winter Revisited.

Threat of terrorism aside, Robock sees a risk in regional feuds between nuclear powers India and Pakistan or Israel and Iran

Environmentalists point to rising sea levels and the threat of a supervolcano, while nanotechnology may yet produce microorganisms that kill us from the inside.

The endless possibilities explain the interest in bookmaker William Hill's offer of 1,000,000-to-1 on the world

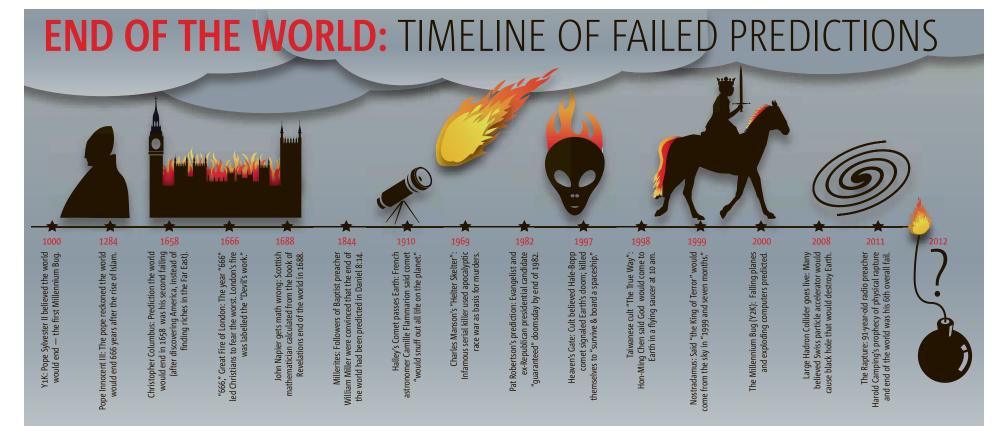
ending.

"Some may say it is a bet we can never lose, for the obvious reason that we won't be here to pay out should it happen," spokesman Graham Sharpe says, but several bets have already been placed.

Apocalypse options

- Comet strike. Still the most immediate threat; likely to be sudden. Fear factor: 7/10
- Nuclear war. An everpresent threat and probably more likely than world peace. FF: 6/10
- Global warming. The rising sea is already threatening some islands. FF: 4/10
- Disease pandemic. Could happen but unlikely to catch us by surprise. FF: 2/10
- Sun burnout. A sure thing but will be in 4.5 billion years' time. FF: 0/10





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"Disney World.... Where else would you rather be

but the happiest place on Earth?"

Chris Hancock, Winnipeg



José Natividad Ic Xec, a native Mayan living in Mérida, capital of Yucatán in Mexico, where the Mayan civilization once thrived, has dedicated his life to promoting his culture and tradition. Xec explains what the doomsday prophecy really means for his compatriots.

What does Dec. 21 mean to the Mayan people?

For Mayans living in Yucatán, this date means nothing. Like anyone else, we spend that day thinking about what we are going to eat, about our jobs or what the next few months will be like for us. This date was only conceived as a stage in a calendar, as Dec. 22 marks the end of 13 baktuns, (a baktun is a period of 394 years or 144,000 days). And so it's just the end of an era in a calendar.

So the end-of-the-world prophecy is all fantasy?

People speak of a revolution in human consciousness, a new light that will shine upon the world. Believers talk of some kind of transformation and will gather at the Mayan pyramids to perform some kind of ritual. But all of this is not attributed to the Maya; we really don't care about it — on the contrary, it makes us laugh. Our people know little about the



"I already live every day like it's the last. So,

(I'd) just carry on. I don't make future plans."

Andrew Goddard, London, Ont.



"Blissfully ignorant that it is the last day on Earth. I

just would not want to be aware."

Candice McCavitt, Toronto



"I would make a list of everyone in my life that I had

something important to say to."

Kirk Raybould, Toronto



"I would break all the laws, all the rules. No drugs, no al-

cohol: It's not something you need at the end."

Fred Labonte, Ottawa



"I'd probably buy unlimited sushi ... drink a lot

and not worry about the hangover the next day."

Leanne Stevens, Halifax

José Natividad Ic Xec

- **Age:** 49
- Born: Peto, a Mayan village in Yucatán.
- Background: Parents were Mayan speakers; grew up speaking Mayan and later learned Spanish; at the end of secondary school moved to Mérida, where he currently resides; worked at the Diario de Yucatán newspaper for 17 years; also studied at the Seminario Conciliar de Yucatán.

continue to grow. On my website, I publish stories on Mayan culture and its characteristics

Do you yourself have any plans to mark the Mayan event?

Yes, on Dec. 21 and 22, I will be doing live broadcasts from (ancient Mayan site) Chichén Itzá. I will be chatting to Mayans who live in the area. I want them to tell me about how they live. Perhaps they will perform some traditional dancing. I will also talk to other experts like myself who have worked their whole lives to promote Mayan culture. But for all this to happen, I need sponsors. But I'm aware that our old indigenous culture is not a big seller.



DECEMBER 21 MAKES MAYANS LAUGH

Native Mayan José Natividad Ic Xec tells Metro the calendar's end has nothing to do with the world's end

ancient Mayan Long Count calendar. The only thing we know is that the date Dec. 22 marks an end in the calendar, but people are using the date Dec. 21 because it is the solstice and thus a more memorable date.

Then why is the date such a big deal?

Experts claim that the 13th baktun is a good opportunity for people to make a profit out of those who believe. And if those faithful genuinely believe in it, they would be

frightened; they would look for a bunker or think about a plan of survival. So this endof-the-world talk is only a bit of fun.

You use social networks to promote your culture. How

popular is Chilam Balam (Xec's blog based on the Mayan document allegedly containing prophecies)? It's a concept that I started

It's a concept that I started two years ago, first on Twitter and Facebook, then on a blog, which I hope will

Doomsday industry still booming despite the lessons of the past

Are you done your apocalypse shopping yet? You could throw down \$30,000 on a space in a luxury underground bunker or a cheaper "survival kit" that can help you eat grass. Apocalypse literature is booming, with sales from the Left Behind book series worth almost \$1 billion

It's a modern update of the paper "pardons" sold as insurance against judgment day in the Middle Ages. Many experts trace the birth of the apocalypse industry to the U.S. Millerite movement, when preacher William Miller launched a campaign to promote his vision of doomsday in the 1840s.

"Systematic commercialization first arose from fear of nuclear war in the 1960s, with companies building bomb



shelters," says Lorne Dawson, sociologist and author of Prophetic Failure and Millennial Movements. "That showed the business opportunity, and it continued with the survivalist movement of the 1970s and the growing fear of an ecocatastrophe."

The years 2000 and 2012 have revived the focus, and Dawson believes it taps into a

basic human desire. "Simple psychology shows that people need to believe they do not live in chaos, that there is a higher purpose."

Doom preaching has drawn backlash following cases such as the 2011 suicide of British teenager Isabel Taylor. "It's an industry that exploits anxiety and can be dangerous," says Bill Hudson, astronomer and editor of the 2012 hoay blog

Bill Hudson, astronomer and editor of the 2012 passes without incident, don't expect the industry to stop. "Even when a theory is debunked, a core group tends to become even more fervent," says Hudson. "True believers are locked in. You can't reason someone out of a position they didn't reason themselves into."

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Mexico. Prophecy injects billions into economy

It may be the end of the world, but certainly not for Mexico's economy. The Mayan prophecy will have attracted more than \$15 billion in tourist revenue by the end of 2012 as millions flock to the country to discover its indigenous civilization.

Mexico's Ministry of Tourism predicts 52 million visitors will have come to Mexico by the end of 2012, many of whom will have visited the Mundo Maya (Quintana Roo, Yucatan and Campeche states).

"Today we are the 10th power for tourism in the world and we are working hard to be in the top five," outgoing President Felipe Calderon said.

Mexico put aside \$10 million for a 2012 project last summer.

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Party like a Mayan

More than 500 Mayanthemed events will have taken place by the end of the year.

- Festival Mundo Maya.
 Folk festival that celebrates
 Mayan traditions in the
 Mexican city of Campeche until Dec. 30.
- The Gran Museo del Mundo Maya. Located in Merida, Yucatan's capital, the museum holds precious Mayan artifacts.
- The End of the Long Count Mayan Calendar. The 365step pyramid of Chichén Itzá will host a ceremonial event on Dec. 21.



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Philanthropy. Zuckerberg donates \$500M in stock

Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg said he is giving nearly \$500 million US in stock to a Silicon Valley charity with the aim of funding health and education issues.

Zuckerberg donated 18 million Facebook shares, valued at \$498.8 million US based on their Tuesday closing price. The beneficiary is the Silicon Valley Community Foundation, a nonprofit that works with donors to allocate their gifts.

This is Zuckerberg's largest donation to date. He pledged \$100 million US in Facebook stock to Newark, N.J., public schools in 2010, before his company went public earlier this year.

In a Facebook post Tuesday, Zuckerberg, 28, said he's "proud of the work" done by the foundation that his Newark donation launched, called

Giving Pledge

 In 2010, Zuckerberg joined Giving Pledge, an effort led by Microsoft Corp. founder Bill Gates and Berkshire Hathaway Inc. CEO Warren Buffett to get the richest people in the U.S. to donate most of their wealth. His wife, Priscilla Chan, joined with him.

Startup: Education, which has helped open charter schools, high schools and others.

With the latest contribution, he added, "we will look for areas in education and health to focus on next." He did not give further details on what plans there may be for funds. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Penny's end to cost a mint

Chump change. New analysis shows price tag for redeeming one-cent coins in circulation will be about \$7.3M yearly

The demise of Canada's onecent coin next year will save taxpayers less than expected.

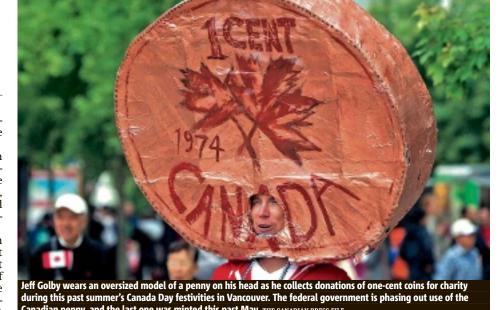
Finance Minister Jim Flaherty announced the impending withdrawal of the penny in last March's budget, saying the government would save \$11 million a year in production costs.

That's because production of each one-cent coin had cost the Royal Canadian Mint about 1.6 cents. But a new analysis of costs shows that redeeming the mountain of circulating pennies beginning Feb. 4 will cost taxpayers about \$7.3 million a year.

year.

The analysis projects a net cost of about \$38.3 million to redeem some six billion pennies expected to be turned in by consumers and financial institutions over the next six years.

Costs include \$53 million expected to be paid out to redeem the face value of the coins, as well as another \$27 million in handling and admin-



istration costs by the Royal Canadian Mint.

Recycling the zinc and copper from melted-down pennies will bring in about \$42.5 million in revenue, leaving government in the red at slightly more than \$38 million.

However, adding the \$11 million in annual savings from not minting any more pennies, which ceased production May 4

By the numbers

35B

Over the last century, the Royal Canadian Mint has stamped an estimated 35 billion pennies from metal plates. The penny remains legal tender even after Feb. 4.

this year, still gives the government annual savings of almost \$4 million over the expected six-year redemption period.

As the coins are withdrawn, cash transactions will begin to be rounded off to the nearest five cents, but there are no government-imposed rules or policing. Electronic transactions, such as those on debit cards or credit cards would still be registered in cents.

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GM will spend \$5.5B to buy back shares from U.S. government



The U.S. Treasury plans to sell its remaining stake in General Motors over the next 15 months, allowing the automaker to shed the stigma of being partly owned by the American government.

ican government.

GM said Wednesday it will spend \$5.5 billion US to buy back 200 million shares of its stock from the Treasury by the end of this year.

And the U.S. government, unlike its Canadian counterpart, has promised to sell its remaining 300 million shares on the open market starting in January and get out of the company's business within the next

12 to 15 months.

The deal almost certainly means that Washington will lose billions on the \$49.5-billion US bailout that saved GM from being auctioned off in pieces during the financial crisis in 2008 and 2009. GM's buyback will cut the Treasury's stake to 19 per cent from 26.5 per cent.

For it to break even, the Treasury would have to sell the remaining 300 million shares for an average of about \$70 US.

Federal Finance Minister Jim Flaherty referred to that discrepancy almost three weeks ago when he said that now was not the right time for

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"This is fundamentally good for the business."

GM Chief Financial Officer Dan Ammann, who said the company has market research showing government ownership has held down sales of its cars and trucks

the Canadian government to sell its stake in the company. On Wednesday he reaffirmed that position. "We will not sell the shares without getting the best value we can for Canadian taxpayers," Flaherty said.

"Secondly ... we are a Conservative government. We're not interested in the long term in being shareholders in private corporations, including pub-

licly traded private businesses. Over time we do intent to divest. On timing, I'll have to get back to you."

Ottawa and Ontario contributed \$13.7 billion to help bail out North American automakers GM and Chrysler more than three years ago and own about nine per cent of GM's common shares.

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Holiday giving

Donations are better than gifts, majority say

A new study suggests almost two-thirds of Canadian adults would rather see a donation to charity on their behalf rather than receive a gift this holiday season. The poll for BMO Harris Private Banking also found that 78 per cent of respondents would consider making that charitable donation rather than giving a traditional gift. The findings are based on two surveys conducted for the bank by Pollara. THE CANDIAN PRESS

Oshawa, Ont.

GM shifts Camaro production to Michigan

General Motors is moving production of the next version of its Camaro sports car from its Oshawa operation in Ontario to a plant in Michigan, a move the union says will cost 1,000 jobs at the massive factory east of Toronto. The Canadian Auto Workers estimated the move, which could also affect parts companies, could cost as many as 9,000 jobs in the region after all the spinoff effects are included. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Safety concerns

Hyundai recalls Velosters over brakes, sunroofs

Hyundai is recalling thousands of late-model Velosters in the U.S. and Canada to fix problems involving parking brakes on some models and a sunroof that can shatter and cause injuries on others. The recall involving the sunroof affects cars from the 2012 model year, including 1,593 in Canada. The separate recall to fix parking brakes affects about 1,565 vehicles in Canada. THE CANADIAN PRESS





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VEGAS: WHAT HAPPENS HERE IS WRITTEN IN A COLUMN



Greetings, world travellers! The U.S. may have a Bible Belt to hold up the britches of the nation, but this week we look at Las Vegas, the city where pants are optional.

This luminous postage stamp

in the middle of desert darkness is home to the American stereotype in all its glory. I have enough American friends to know the obvious — that the U.S. is incredibly diverse — but here in Vegas I'm surrounded by large boobs (not literally), large food (I had a crab cake with the same size and heft of a curling stone) and large cars (my "compact" rental could comfortably seat a starting hockey lineup wearing its gear).

After four days here, I have compiled this exhaustive, 350-word guide to Sin City, which contains oodles of useful information for your trip to Las Vegas. (LEGAL DISCLAIMER: This column contains no useful information about anything.)

Las Vegas 101

Las Vegas, literally "Lots of Neon," was founded by itinerant escorts and slot-machine builders in the 1930s, who dreamed of a new America where all the worst jobs in the country could be concentrated in one place. Here you'll find tens of thousands of service workers who must put up with customers in a perpetual "Listen here, friend" state of 1-a.m. drunkenness, and the servers do it all with a smile — a tight, painful smile. You will pity tip more than you ever have in your entire life.

Fortunately, you'll have plenty of opportunities to distract yourself. For instance, while newspaper boxes lie empty in much of the United States, Vegas does a booming media trade with such well-respected publications as Barely Legal, College Girls! and Alt. Who Says Print is Dead?

And did you know that in Las Vegas it's legal to gamble? The only rule is that the gambling must take place in a one-third replica of some other place on Earth.

The casino resorts include:

- The Venetian, which has an exact replica of the Venice canals, right down to the neon-rimmed gondolas, the iceskating rink and the country-western band playing covers on the hour. Viva Italia!
- New York, New York, which for just \$5 extra will give you a one-third mugging.
- The Bellagio, famous for its fountains, which are a replica
 of the Eastern European country Bellagistan and its threetimes-bigger fountains.
- One shopping mall also looks like a (really) cheap onethird knock-off of the Royal Ontario Museum in Toronto, so presumably there'll soon be a really earnest but widely disliked resort here soon with the slogan "A World-Class Casino ... Aren't We?"

Vegas could be tempting to dismiss as low-rent or vulgar, but unlike many other cities, it knows exactly what it is. And if you don't like it, well, nobody told you to travel to the middle of the desert

The city also has many bars and whatnot, but I don't want to get into that because of space restrictions and just in case I ever want to run for U.S. Congress. Mistakes were made. We'll leave it at that.

Because, as the man said, you got to know when to fold 'em, know when to walk away, and know when to run. (That man, of course, was a one-third replica of Kenny Rogers.)



Takes an eagle eye to spot a hoax



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Class project

World fooled by Montreal video

Relax, world — your baby won't get snatched by an eagle if you visit Montreal.

An online video of the massive bird plucking an infant off the ground has been acknowledged by its creators as a fake.

The admission comes after the video, produced by students at a newmedia training school in Montreal, was viewed millions of times Wednesday on YouTube and was the subject of news reports in Canada and internationally. THE CANADIAN PRESS

<u>Panel</u>

50%

Other pranks

With the Internet in shock over the eagle/toddler hoax, Metro decided to revisit some other online video spoofs of the past.

Lonelygirl15. This was an early online video blog depicting the life of a fictional teenager named Bree Avery. The series followed the typical angst-ridden teenager whose confessional videos covered things like her favourite stuffed animals or her first kiss. Over time, the show evolved to include a cult and the mysterious disappearance

of Bree's parents. In the fall of 2006, fans of the show discovered that Bree was actually a 19-year-old actress named Jessica Rose, and the show was revealed to be fake.

 Dating site eHarmony cat lady. A woman named Debbie tearfully confessed her love of felines in what appeared to be a dating- site biography. The site released a statement afterward admitting it was a hoax.

 Onion iPod charger. A video purportedly showed a man charging his iPod using an onion and some Gatorade. It also garnered a lot of press when frustrated Apple enthusiasts plugged their devices into various vegetables.

Microsoft 'viral marketing' slip and slide. A video shows a man rocketing down a giant water slide before flying off a ramp at the end and landing in a small wading pool. The video was created using a stuntman and computer animation, and was eventually revealed to be part of a marketing campaign for Microsoft Office.

Watch these videos and more at metronews.ca.



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A good friend is someone who care about you they are someone who will be there when you're down

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Rockers in Project Mars Don't Hold Back with EP

Long time coming.

Band with roots dating back to 2005 adds new member, rethinks writing and comes back with recording



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After years of lineup changes and reshaping their sound, Ottawa anthem rockers Project Mars have released the band's debut EP. Don't Hold Back.

The band's roots date back to 2005, when on-

the-job banter between co-workers at a restaurant spurred the creation of progressive rock band Sound Addiction, which eventually evolved into the four-piece Project Mars.

Two years later, the band was starting to gain a bit of steam locally.

"We were gigging all over Ottawa and the surrounding region," says drummer Mars Juarez.

In 2009, the guys decided to take a break before resurrecting and reinventing Project Mars after a year-long hiatus

"We brought in an extra guitarist/vocalist to add a little bit more of a dynamic to the sound to give us a bigger sound, therefore, we had a bigger stage presence," Juarez explains.

In October, Project Mars released its debut EP. "In the past, we just had

demos.

"We were just trying to

find our way and get the door open. "When we started back

up in 2010, musically, we kind of started from scratch.

"We rethought our writing process and the way we went about it.

"We were aiming for more marketable music."

The EP's title track, Don't Hold Back, is an ode to the band's original bass player and founding member, Jordan Elliott, who left the group to join the Canadian Armed Forces.

Juarez says the song is a bit of a glimpse into what it's like to be a soldier.

"We don't pretend to know what it's like, but we tried to place ourselves in their shoes for a short period of time.

"We all have our troops in our hearts.

"Their sacrifice lets us do what we do and our way of giving thanks was to write this track with him in our hearts and it goes out to all of the Canadian troops," he explains.

The band is hoping the momentum they gained this year will carry over into 2013 — they are planning on recording another album, maybe even a full-length one, followed by a

Buy it

To purchase a physical copy or digital download of Don't Hold Back, visit projectmars.bandcamp.com.

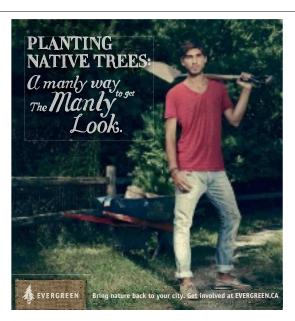
cross-country tour.

And they also hope to continue their work with the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada and other charities.

charities.
"2012 was a really good year for us, musically," says Juarez.

"The boys are all pushing in the same direction now, so if we can match this year or beyond, that would be great for us," he







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Internet backlash. The fantastic Mr. Jamie Foxx responds to his critics

The Internet is stupid, according to Jamie Foxx. When asked about criticism regarding his new film, Django Unchained, the star is adamant about the fact the online naysayers — who have been critical of the film's frequent use of the N word by both black and white characters — are irrelevant. As long as Oprah approves, everything's basically OK.

"When Oprah saw it, we were like ..." Foxx gives us a terrified stare. "She was like, 'I loved it. It was hard to watch in some spots. I cannot believe I was laughing in some spots at some of these things because you know me, I'm super-black woman.' I'm paraphrasing."

Even director of the film, Quentin Tarantino, found himself susceptible to the online criticism about the film, according to Foxx.

"A couple friends of mine, entertainers, read so much of

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"What it comes down to is what I call subliminal jealousy."

Jamie Foxx Django Unchained star



it until they shut down," Foxx says. "Even Quentin calls me, says, 'Man.' I'm like, 'What? Who gives a f—k. They're on the Internet.' The Internet to me is nothing."

Foxx has an explanation for all the ire, for his movie and on the Internet in general.

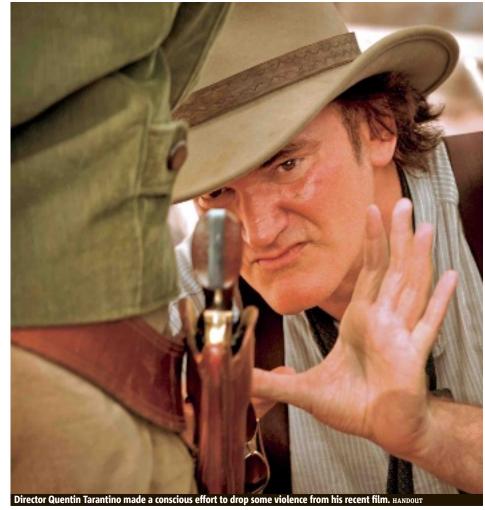
"What it comes down to is what I call subliminal jealousy," he says. "A lot of people aren't artists. A lot of people aren't special, so all they can do is stand on the outside and just say the loudest, craziest, zaniest sh— in the world. I actually laugh at most of the stuff. but that's all it is."

But the film about a freed

slave who becomes a bounty hunter is receiving an equal amount of praise for its unflinchingly violent portrayal of life in the South, just two years before the Civil War. While the brutality is graphic, in a marked contrast, there are plenty of hilarious moments. It's the kind of juxtaposition that is the hallmark of a Tarantino film.

"(Kerry Washington's and my) character were more the grounded characters and then all of these funny things that happen around them, which I think is so necessary, because it gave people some relief," Foxx says.

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Tarantino Unchained on Django emotions

New movie. Director talks about how he scaled back parts of his new movie despite wanting to take it further than he ended up doing

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Django Unchained is a movie so brutal, it brought Quentin Tarantino to tears.

In Toronto earlier this month for the Canadian premiere, he recounted how he broke down during an intense scene where a couple of sadistic slave owners whip Broomhilda (played by Kerry Washington), the wife of the film's hero Django.

"I was operating the camera on one of those scenes and (Washington) got to me. The next thing you know I was completely blind because my eyepiece was filling up with tears," he says.

But it was more the context of the brutality than the bloody assault that yanked at Tarantino's emotions.

"That was a rough scene," he admits. "Where we were doing it, when you see that scene, you will see shacks beRated R

"I could handle a rougher version of the movie than what exists right now. I have more of a tolerance for it."

Quentin Tarantino

hind her and those were the actual slave quarters where the slaves lived on those plantations. There is blood in that grass and flesh in those trees and we felt the ancestors who once walked there," he says.

The Django Unchained that audiences will view when it heads to theatres on Dec. 25 is a toned-down version of the film Tarantino originally offered the American ratings juggernaut MPAA.

"They actually gave an R rating to a rougher version than I ultimately ended up presenting to the public," he says.

It was the director himself who made the call to chill on the violence — even though the gore remains trademark Tarantino and there are plenty of scenes that will churn the stomachs of the strongest viewers.

strongest viewers.
"I could handle a rougher version of the movie than what exists right now. I have

more of a tolerance for it, but I kind of realized that when I watched that version of the movie with audiences, that I was traumatizing them too much. It's just that f—king simple. And I want people to enjoy the movie at the very end of it."

Clocking in at just under three hours, there's plenty to enjoy in Tarantino's take on the spaghetti western and his homage to Italian director Sergio Corbucci, the man behind the original Django. The film follows Django (Jamie Foxx), a slave-turned-bounty hunter on his quest to free his wife from the evil plantation owner Calvin Candie (Leonardo DiCaprio).

(Leonardo DiCaprio).
Set in the pre-Civil War South, Tarantino peppers his dialogue with the N word, substitutes literary references for his typical pop culture banter and offers his heroes lots of moral grey areas in which to roam.

"I wasn't so much trying to get a message across (about slavery) as paint a very realistic picture of what America was like at that time and create a world where slavery is the norm," he says.

"Rather than make some soapbox speeches about it, or make points against America, I just wanted to ... take you back to that time and stick you in the middle of it."



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K-Stew's sorry for her cheatin' heart

Kristen Stewart knows she's upset more than a few fans over the course of her Twilight tenure — especially since her summer cheating scandal. "I apologize to everyone for making them so angry. It was not my intention," the actress tells Newsweek. "It's not a terrible

thing if you're either loved or hated. But honestly, I don't care because it doesn't keep me from doing my s—." And as for the hugely successful vampire franchise coming to an end? "The only relief when it comes to Twilight is that the story is done," she



Angelina Jolie dusts off her director's hat

Angelina Jolie is set to return to the director's chair. choosing to adapt Laura Hillenbrand's Second World War survival story. Unbroken, as her second film, according to E! News. The story follows Louis Zamperini, an air force pilot who survived a crash and spent most of the war in a

Japanese prison camp. "I read Laura Hillenbrand's brilliant book and I was so moved by Louis Zamperini's heroic story, I immediately began to fight for the opportunity to make this film. Jolie says. Her directorial debut, In the Land of Blood and Honey, focused on the Bosnian war.

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

The Word



The year of the lost locks femmes who took it all off



No more long locks for these ladies. Whether it was for a role of a lifetime or to bring awareness to a cause, here are some haircuts that turned heads this year.

Who: Anne Hathaway Why: The actress had to shave her head for her role as the prostitute Fantine in Les Misérables. Current length: Short. "I love the short-haired lifestyle," Hathaway says in the December issue of Vogue. "I'm turning 30, and - I hope this isn't obnoxious to say — I feel prettier, and much more myself. I guess I just feel much more satisfied with less now.'

Who: Charlize Theron Why: Theron's shaved head is courtesy of her latest film role, Mad Max: Fury Road. Current length: Still shaved.

Who: Kellie Pickler Why: The American Idol singer got a buzz cut to support her best friend, Summer Miller, who had to undergo chemotherapy while being treated for breast cancer. Current length: Growing out a tad. "We made a

pact from the get-go that we would shave our heads together," Pickler told E! Online about sharing the look with her best pal. "And we did.

Who: Miley Cyrus Why: Who knows. Probably because she's aching to be seen as more "edgy" than her Disney roots. Current length: It's not so much talking about length as it is talking about the crazy. As she wrote on Twitter when she originally lost the locks, "Never felt more me in my whole



Kate Middleton determined to make the Royal Christmas

Despite her recent pregnancy-related hospitalization, Kate Middleton is vowing to put on a brave face for the Royal Family's Christmas dinner, according to Radar Online. "Kate doesn't want to disappoint the Queen, nor does she want to skip on her duties," a source says.

"She feels she is obliged to appear at the annual Christmas

dinner and doesn't want to let anyone down." Her husband, though, is offering an out. "William has his concerns though that she won't be up to it, and told Kate she shouldn't worry if she feels too sick to attend and that no one will judge her negatively," the source adds. "But Kate isn't having it and is determined to be at the dinner, smiling as always."





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The Carly Rae kiss

The Call Me Maybe singer breaks down the craft of the smudge-free make-out, her Ryan Gosling crush and why she'd never play spin the bottle with Justin Bieber

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As she promotes her new album, Kiss, we asked Carly Rae Jepsen about makeup application and the art of making out, because we figured she must be an expert at it by now.

Putting the makeup on...

"For a press event, I need one hour for my hair and makeup. But if it's just for me, I literally need 10 minutes. My grooming process has become shorter and shorter in my off-days. I like getting glammed up for the red carpet, but then being able to wear no makeup and be in flannel for a camping weekend. I'm like, 'Take me as I am.'"

The spin the bottle test. Ryan Gosling — yay or nay? "I've always had a thing for Ryan Gosling. I don't think



I'm alone in that! There's not one movie of his that I haven't liked. It's his personality. I've never met him, but the characters he plays are very charming."

And Justin Bieber?

"He's my friend, that would be too strange. We would never play that game together!"

On making out

"I've always had fairly pleasant experiences, but not, like, a lot of them! Kissing is all about how you feel about the person. If you have no chemistry, it can be totally meaningless. But if you have the right amount of flare, then it can be a really magical moment. I don't know if I'm a good kisser. I hope so."

Video

Watch Carly Rae Jepsen give a tutorial on how to kiss without smudging your lipstick on metronews.ca

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Holiday

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Inside her makeup bag

Carly Rae Jepsen opens up her purse to show us two products she can't get through the day without

MAC Lipstick in Lady Danger

"I'm obsessed with this. It's a statement piece. It's kind of like an orangey red, but the perfect shade of it. It's a good pick-me-up if you have to get dolled up fast."



Marc Jacobs Daisy Eau de Parfum

"I'm really picky with scents. I can get sick of them after a day or two. Daisy has been one that I've really hung on to. It's not too domineering, really pleasant and kind of subtle. It feels really fresh every time I spray it on."







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Canadian street style

Spotted in: Vancouver

Ann Nguyen Sales manager at Lynn Steven

Age: 31

What she's wearing

Aritzia toque, Oak + Fort coat, Wilfred Free T-shirt, Rachel Comey shoes

Her inspiration

"I'm constantly in a creative state of mind, so I like clothes that are comfortable, functional and at the same time, an outfit that moves with me

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A Very Matthew Williamson Christmas

Gift guide. 2012 was a big year for the designer who celebrated the 15th anniversary of his eponymous line. He tells us how he plans to reflect on it all during the holidays.

KENYA HUNT

"I'm a huge fan of a traditional Christmas dinner," says Matthew Williamson. He usu-like an episode of Downton



parents' house in Manchester, England, where he'll be headed in a week.

"There'll be some big family meals, walks and games," he explains. But his fantasy Christmas looks more

Abbev with some old Bob Hope specials mixed in.

"(My dream Christmas) would be cooked by mum, of course — a turkey with all the trimmings. My family, all of my closest friends and their children would be there. We'd be in the grand dining room at Aynhoe Park, which is this stately home in Oxfordshire, with a roaring fire going and deer in the snow outside the window," he adds. "Perhaps Bing Crosby or Frank Sinatra would drop by for a song or two. Ok, I'm getting a little carried away now." He fills us in on what he plans to give and hopes to receive — this

The Top 3 things he's hoping for...

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sweeney.co.uk

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that's so fun and festive!



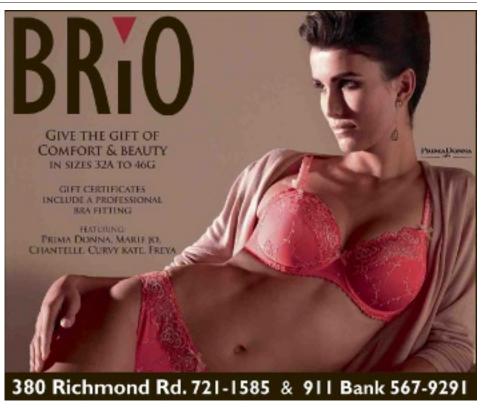
@Jeanne_Beker: On my way to @ CTVCanadaAM to judge gingerbread houses! What makes a GOOD gingerbread house?

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Beker: Face Time @theloopca @BeckermanBlog @TonyChapman + @ssheffman @ shopeluxe Talking online shopping!





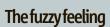
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Classic gifts for the pickiest decorator

Imagine having the task of buying a Christmas present for someone who not only has it all, but seemingly has great taste and knows what they like. That's what my family and friends run up against every Christmas — trying to buy me something I don't already have or will like

enough to have in my home. Truth be told, designers aré probably the simplest to buy for, as long as you don't give short-lived trend items. By keeping the choices classic and useful, your gift will be a hit with your favourite design aficionado. Here's a few that topped my wish list this holiday season. Some cost as little as a dollar and some hundreds. I'd lové all of them under my tree this year, Mr. Santa...





Whether it be real or faux, a fur throw slung over a chair or end of the bed has always made a luxurious statement in the home. From year to year the fur colours change (this year it's pale browns and greys), and there is always an animal print in fashion. Take a cue from designer Brian Gluckstein and his collection of throws (with a handsome leather carry handle) and live like a designer. Faux Fur Throw, \$149, thebay.com.

Clink, clink on the cheap

Nothing breaks the mood

of a fancy party than having to use the wrong glass when toasting a celebration. And trust me, using a wine glass to serve champagne does not impress anyone who is style conscious. I like to stock up on glass ones and have plenty of them. My go-to store is the

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Champagne

dollarama.com.

Flutes.



A simple touch

A decorative box can sit handsomely on a front fover table to hold kevs. coins and cards, or on a dresser to hold jewelry, pens and keepsakes in the bedroom. The Agresti Gold Leaf Box adds simple lines and a subtle gold shine to decorate any table or dresser top. \$795. birks.com.

Crystal accent

The classic round shape of the rose bowl (or goldfish bowl, as it's commonly called) is perfect for flowers. Three rose bowls in a row creates a modern appeal down the centre of a dining table or on a mantel. Tiffany's Floral Vine Rose Bowl holds a dozen red roses, a candle and more, \$330, tiffany.ca.





Light it up

There is no decorator out there that doesn't like candles, and even better are a collection of candles on a tray. It's the perfect centrepiece on a dining table, coffee table or in the bath. Inexpensive candles mean filling the tray without breaking the bank. Glade Winter Collection Candles, \$5.50 each, glade.ca.

Charger chic

Decorate the simplest of china by adding a layer of silver underneath. Charger plates create instant shimmer and luxury to a dinner party table. Add cool silver shine and the natural imprint of woodgrain with charger plates from President's Choice, \$10 for 4. loblaws.ca.



A festive feast with a small ecological footprint?

Can my festive holiday feast also have a small footprint?



OF GREEN

The holiday season is about family, community, celebration ... and food! Delicious food.

The most festive of holiday feasts are both delicious and sustainable — a joyous combination that's within everybody's reach. And while that perfect balance is something of considerable debate, a few simple steps will elevate your table to one worthy of the love you bear for friends and family.

Step #1: Waste not, want not

waste every year, and half of that is household food. That's not festive! Cook an appropriate amount of food for the size of your gathering, and plan for the leftovers. Step #2: Cook from scratch The closer you start to raw ingredients, the more nutritious and the more sustainable your meal is likely to be. Before you

reach for the BPA-lined can of cranberry sauce or the packet of gravy mix, ask yourself, "Can I make this from scratch?" The answer is a resounding yes. Step #3: Buy local and organic

tional alternatives, which we

often subsidize with environ-

Organic food does cost more. That's because it's more expensive to produce than convenhealth costs. But since you're now committed to not wasting any food, and to cooking from scratch, you're going to save so much money you can probably offset the cost of buying more sustainable options. **Step #4: Avoid serving GMO** Unlike most of Europe, Canada does not require labelling

mental sacrifice and long-term

modified ingredients. Certified organic foods cannot, by definition, contain GMO ingredients. Outside of those parameters, buy carefully. The good news for your holiday feast is that there are no GMO varieties of wheat, potatoes or root vegetables on the market. However, beware of conventional canola oil or soy deriva-



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Is this the last supper?

A bite of Belize. This country was once home to the ancient Mayans, who are said to have predicted the end of the world on Dec. 21. If that's the case, go out with a full stomach

(small pig) pibil literally translates "Cochinita (to bury) 'buried whole suckling pig," write the editors of Flavors of Belize magazine in their book of the same name about this recipe.

'Traditionally, you should marinate the pork in the same manner but cook the whole pig wrapped in banana leaves underground with fire wood and hot stones for hours until

This recipe by Chef Sean Kuylen can also be cooked in a slow cooker, on low for 12 hours or on high for six hours.

1. Preheat oven to 325 F. Pierce pork with knife and insert gar-

- 5 lbs pork shoulder or pork leg, bone in
- 1 head garlic
- 1 1/2 tbsp salt
- 2 tsp cumin
- 1 1/2 tsp allspice
- 1 1/2 tbsp freshly ground black pepper
- 2 tbsp red recado, diluted to form paste
- 1/2 cup sour orange juice
 Smoked banana leaves
- 2 medium onions, quartered
- 2 medium green bell peppers, quartered
- 1/4 cup cilantro, minced

lic cloves all around.

2. Mix all dry ingredients; combine with recado, diluted in orange juice and coat pork. Marinate overnight.

3. Place pork in large roasting pan lined with banana leaves. onion, sweet pepper place cilantro on top. remaining marinade liquid and add more water to pan to approximately 1 inch



high. Cover with banana leaves and seal tightly with foil.

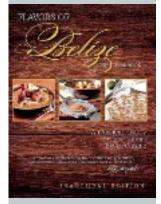
4. Bake for 5 hours or until

meat is very tender and starts to release from the bone. Shred pork and serve on warm corn tortillas topped with pickled

red onions or habanero salsa. ALL RECIPES ON THIS PAGE FROM FLAVORS OF BELIZE: THE COOKBOOK (MCNAB PUBLISHING LTD)

Cookbook of the Week

Dine like the Mayans



Published by McNab Publishing Ltd., Flavors of Belize includes a selection of soups and starters, main dishes and delectable desserts. Additionally, this cookbook hosts a variety of submissions from some of Belize's most renowned chefs and cooks. Each section opens with a brief explanation of the different cultures, whose history acts as the foundation of Belizean heritage. This colourful gastronomic guide delivers more than 120 recipes spanning cultures including the Maya, British, Mestizo, Creole, Chinese, Lebanese, Garifuna and more.

Panades: A Belizean snack

"Locally, cooks use red recado to differentiate between panades fillings. The red colour from the recado paste represents the fish, and the plain masa is for the beans," write the editors of Flavors of Belize magazine in their cookbook. "(The Panades may be filled) with refried beans. When using refried beans, eliminate red recado paste from the recipe."

1. For Fish Filling: place fish, epazote and cilantro in a pot with enough water to cover, boil until fish is cooked, approximately 15 minutes. Remove fish from pot and cool. Flake fish, combine with salt, black pepper, onion and gar-

2. For Recado Paste: Grind annatto seeds, allspice seeds and whole cloves to a powder. Combine annatto powder with sour orange and 1/4 cup of vinegar and process to a paste. May add more sour orange and vinegar if necessary to achieve a thick paste. Store in refrigerator.

3. For Panades, mix masa, baking powder and salt. Dissolve recado in water and add to masa until soft and masa holds. If using Masa harina, follow instructions on package. Form into 1 1/2 inch



4. Place ball of masa in between 2 sheets of parchment paper in the centre of a tor-tilla press and flatten. Place approximately 1 teaspoon of fish in the middle and fold over to form a patty, press edges to seal. Do not overfill.

5. Heat oil in a large frying

pan and fry Panades until it floats, turn and cook until slightly crisp. Serve with hot pepper onion sauce.

6. For Hot Pepper Onion Sauce: Combine all ingredients and marinate for 2 hours or overnight. Will keep for several weeks in refrigerator.

Fish Filling

- 2 lbs fish filet
- 6 epazote leaves, minced
- 2 to 3 tbsp cilantro leaves, minced
- 1 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 tsp ground black pepper
- 2 tbsp onion, minced
- 1 tsp garlic, minced

Red Recado Paste

- 5 tbsp annatto seeds
- 6 to 7 allspice seeds
- 1/4 tsp whole cloves • 1/4 cup sour orange
- 1/4 cup vinegar

- 1 1/2 lbs corn masa or 2 cups Quaker Masa Harina de Maiz
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp red recado paste (see above)
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 1/2 cups fish filet, cooked,
- Vegetable oil for frying

Hot Pepper Onion Sauce

- 2 cups onions, minced
- 2 habanero peppers, de seeded, sliced
- 2 tbsp cilantro, minced
- 6 allspice seeds • 1 1/2 cups vinegar
- 1/2 cup water

• 1 tsp salt

2. Place 1/4 to 1/3 cup mixture onto the centre of each re-served husk. Bring sides together, making sure to overlap

ork can be added after placing the mixture in corn husk. MAT DARIZ FOR FLAVORS OF BELIZE: THE COOL

Dukunu. In ancient Mayan

culture, corn was considered a gift from gods

"In ancient Maya culture, corn represented much more than a grain used for food," write the editors of Flavors of Belize magazine in their cookbook. "Corn was also considered a gift from the gods and cultivating it was a sacred duty. In fact, according to the sacred book of the Maya, (Popol Vuh), the gods created humans from corn.

1. Peel corn, reserving clean husks. Purée corn with water in a blender. Pour into a large mixing bowl and mix with the remaining ingredients.

and fold pointed end upward. Secure each with string.

3. Place 2 to 3 inches of water in sauce pot, bring to a boil and arrange dukunu folded side down. Boil for about 1/2 hour. Remove from husk and serve.

- 10 to 12 green corn on the cob, shucked
- 1/4 cup water
- 1/4 cup coconut milk
- 2 tbsp butter, melted
- 2 tsp baking powder 2 tsp sugar
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste

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SPECIAL INFORMATION FEATURE

Musical Monkeys hit the right notes

Collaboration. Flying Monkeys Brewery teaming up with iconic Canadian rock bands



Just when I thought It's All Been Done, I hear about something so cool that I almost need you to Pinch Me.

When word that Barrie's wildly adventurous Fly-ing Monkeys Brewery was launching its Treble Clef series of limited release collaboration beer with iconic Canadian rock bands — and that its first brew was with The Barenaked Ladies — it seemed like a match made in heaven.

I couldn't have pictured more kindred spirits - irrepressibly quirky, bursting with gregarious personality, boundless energy, exuberant joy and zany mad-cap humour in the way they both approach their crafts. So, when Peter Chiodo, the brewery's visionary founder and brewer, formulated a

concept and recipe, he invited members of the band to come down for a full handson day of brewing.

With Chiodo providing "The Ladies" with a crash course in brewing (full of math, science and history that unravelled the mysteries) and some primo ingredients - including using two million Ecuadorian cocoa nibs and four times the amount of ingredients as you would find in a regular batch of Flying Monkey's brews — this beer provides a symphony for the taste buds, complete with co-operative BNL/Flying Monkey inspired artwork and packaging.

Can a beer that plays your favourite song while being poured and/or drank be far behind?

Flying Monkey's BNL Imperial Chocolate Stout (10 per cent alcohol by volume, LCBO, \$13.95 for a 750 ml bottle) pours an opaque, deep mahogany with thick, creamy mocha head into

"It's astoundingly well-balanced with a perfect medium body, finishing off slightly dry and bitter with no residual stickiness or lingering aftertaste."

a shaker style pint glass. The room is immediately filled with massive swirling "fudgey" chocolate aromas that are a prelude to rich, dry baker's chocolate, milk chocolate, dark fudge, and roasted cocoa bean flavours.

This is probably the most complex and amplified (like an amp turned up to 11) layer upon layer of chocolate nuances that I have tasted in a beer.

It's astoundingly wellbalanced with a perfect medium body, finishing off slightly dry and bitter with no residual stickiness or lingering aftertaste.

you are looking for a cool gift for the music, chocolate and beer lover you have hit the jackpot.

Noir 2009 (\$38.95, LCBO

terey County on California's

#642249) from the

Lucia Highlands



Wines for turkey dinner and new year's celebrations

Santa



Christmas Turkey Dinner, Dec. 25:

Since there is often a crowd around at holiday time, we usually recommend a budget-conscious wine that will please everyone. If, however, your holiday dinner is going to be an intimate affair, you might want to splash out on

Pinot Noir is a great match with roast turkey.

central coast, a new world benchmark region for this Try the Morgan 12 Clones Pinot

grape variety. Available at Vintages.

New Year's Eve, Dec. 31:

It's time for bubbly and, once again, if it's going to

be a small group and you are looking for something special, look no further than champagne.

Barnaut Blanc de Noirs Brut Grand Cru Champagne (\$44.95, LCBO #301887)

Meunier. Such wines are usually is a product that fuller bodied and more intense and this one is no exception. You will find it has more oomph than champagne usually does.

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Entertaining. Add cheese to your festive season



Add a cheesy element to your plans this festive season by introducing a cheese course to your holiday meal, or wine and cheese tasting as a cocktail party substitute.

If cheese is in your holiday entertaining plans, here are some quick tips:

Who are you entertaining — adventurous, conservative, children? Will a meal or snacks be served? What are your favourite cheeses?

Be a savvy shopper

Taste in advance but buy as close as possible to your celebration at a reputable cheesemonger or cheese counter. Always ask that a fresh wedge

be cut for you. Find local Ottawa region cheese makers at holiday farmers' or artisan markets at this time of year.

Serve cheese with star treatment

Serve at room temperature. Offer one knife per cheese. Don't cut up small pieces in advance. Use an interesting wooden board, cross-cut log, plate, slate or marble tiles or tiered trays for visual appeal. Keep it simple and your cheese will shine.

Mix it up

Consider taste, style and texture. Choose a theme region, milk type (cow, sheep, goat, buffalo) or category (fresh, soft, semi-soft, washed, firm, hard, blue). Three to five cheeses display well on a board, or serve one stellar cheese as an appetizer or dessert.

Complement vour cheese

Serve specialty breads, gourmet crackers, fresh seasonal or dried fruits, figs, dates, raw or toasted nuts, olives, caramelized or pickled on-ions or milder charcuterie items as accompaniments. Add artisan wine or craft beer, but remember that balance is key and neither the wine nor the beer should overpower the cheese.

Enjoy every last crumb

Slow down and savour each



morsel of cheese. The holidays are a special time of year to make merry with friends. family (and cheese). Conversations around the cheese board create lasting memories of your special event.

Store cheese properly

Wrap leftovers of soft, semisoft and washed rind cheeses in parchment or cheese paper and pop into a small Tupperware or sealable plastic bag.

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serve cheese with a star treatment by using an interesting wooden board





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NHLPA waiting on NHL to resume talks: Fehr

Lockout. League not sure progress can be made at this point

Donald Fehr says the NHL Players' Association is ready to get back to the bargaining table at any moment.

He's just waiting for the NHL to feel the same way.

"(We aren't talking) because the owners have not indicated a desire to resume," the NHLPA's executive director said Wednesday night before a charity game. "We've indicated any number of times that we're

"We don't have anything new to say right now."

earlier in the day when he made an appearance on CBC's HNIC Radio and was asked to give a simple yes or no answer on whether there would be an agreement in time to save the season. He responded "yes." NHL deputy commissioner Bill Daly on the status of negotiations. Daly created a stir

willing to resume when they are (and) we're willing to resume without preconditions.

"So we're waiting to hear back from them."

The sides haven't negotiated with one another since Dec. 6 in New York, when talks broke down. They also met with a U.S. federal mediator for two days in New Jersey last week and reported no progress.

From the NHL's perspective, negotiations should only resume once there is something

"I don't think either party is refusing a meeting," deputy commissioner Bill Daly said in an email. "But unless there is an indication one side or the other is prepared to move or

has a new idea to move the process forward — and so far neither side has indicated am not sure what we would do at the meeting.

"What is the agenda? Who is directing the conversation?"

Fehr indicated that he liked the idea put forward by Winnipeg Jets defenceman Ron Hainsey that the same parties who met two weeks ago return to the bargaining table, plus himself and commissioner Gary Bettman. Progress was made during a session that included four new owners and a number of players, including Sidney Crosby.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Reclaiming cup not on GG's mind

The Stanley Cup may have been created by the office of Canada's Governor General - but don't count on the current office-holder to take the trophy back.

Gov. Gen. David Johnston chuckled when asked whether the prospect of a cancelled season could prompt him to reclaim . Canada's beloved relic.

Edmonton MP Brent Rathgeber has suggested the cup could be awarded in a competition to determine the best non-pro team in Canada. Also, one of the cup's full-time guardians recently said it would be "exciting" to have a mock tournament if the season is cancelled. THE CANADIAN PRESS



Canadians have strong showing at French World Cup event

Armin Niederer of Switzerland, third from left, performs during the final race on his way to winning a men's ski cross World Cup event ahead of Calgary's Brady Leman, right, American Joe Swensson, second from left, and London, Ont's David Duncan on Wednesday in Val Thorens, France. Leman finished behind Niederer for his second silver medal of the season and Duncan couldn't quite catch Swensson for bronze. LAURENT CIPRIANI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tebow talk turns to possible CFL sojourn

To Tebow or not to Tebow. That's the CFL question.

With the New York Jets electing to bypass quarter-back Tim Tebow as starter Mark Sanchez's replacement for Sunday's game, there has been plenty of speculation and rumours out of the NFL that he might just leave and try tossing footballs next season in Canada.

Apparently, his negotiation rights are now held by the Montreal Alouettes, who just signed 40-year-old Anthony Calvillo to a new two-



The Hamilton Tiger-Cats used to have the former first-round NFL draft pick's negotiating rights but dropped him

during the season.

Negotiating rights are se-cret in the CFL so it's only speculative that Montreal has them right now. But sources suggest they do.

Several CFL teams need a quarterback, Winnipeg for one. But even if the Jets release him, chances are some other NFL team will take a shot at him.

Tebow hasn't started a single game since being traded to the lets from Denver in the off-season.

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

NFL

Authorities finish Belcher investigation

Kansas City Chiefs linebacker Jovan Belcher apparently was worried he would lose his baby and money to his long-time girlfriend before fatally shooting her and killing himself, according to newly released police reports.

Belcher also complained about Kasandra Perkins, the mother of the couple's three-month-old daughter, in conversations and text messages sent to a woman he was dating on the side, the reports show.

In one text message from late October or early

November, Belcher wrote he "would shoot" Perkins "if she didn't leave him alone." The girlfriend told police that Belcher said "his child's mother threatened to take all his money and his child if they split up." Belcher shot Perkins mul-

tiple times in their home on Dec. 1 and then drove to team headquarters, where he killed himself in front of his coach and general manager.

The Jackson County prosecutor's office reviewed the police reports, which first were obtained by the Kansas City Star, before closing the case Friday. It formally ruled the deaths of Belcher, 25, and Perkins, 22, a murder-suicide. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Atlanta	15	7	.682			
Chicago	14	10	.583			

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Indiana	13	12	.520	51/2
Boston	12	12	.500	6
Philadelphia	12	13	.480	61/2
Orlando	11	13	.458	7
Charlotte	7	17	.292	11
Toronto	7	19	.269	12
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Memphis	16	6	.727	3
San Antonio	19	8	.704	21/2
Golden State	17	8	.680	31/2
Denver	14	12	.538	7
Utah	14	12	.538	7
Minnesota	12	11	.522	71/2
Houston	12	12	.500	8
Dallas	12	13	.480	81/2
Portland	11	12	.478	81/2
L.A. Lakers	12	14	.462	9
Phoenix	10	15	.400	101/2
Sacramento	7	17	.292	13
New Orleans	5	19	.208	15
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Wednesday's results

and best eight teams qualify for playoffs

Utah at Indiana Detroit at Toronto Brooklyn at New York Washington at Orlando Oklahoma City at Atlanta Cleveland at Boston Philadelphia at Houston Charlotte at Phoenix Milwaukee at Memphis Golden State at Sacramento New Orleans at L.A. Clippers

Toronto 113 Cleveland 99 Atlanta 100 Washington 95 OT Utah 92 Brooklyn 90 Miami 103 Minnesota 92 Chicago 100 Boston 89 Milwaukee 98 Indiana 93 Dallas 107 Philadelphia 100 Denver 112 San Antonio 106 L.A. Lakers 101 Charlotte 100

Golden State 103 New Orleans 96 Thursday's games

Oklahoma City at Minnesota, 7 p.m. Miami at Dallas, 9:30 p.m. Denver at Portland, 10 p.m.

Friday's games

Atlanta at Philadelphia, 7 p.m. Orlando at Toronto, 7 p.m. Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m. Milwaukee at Boston, 7:30 p.m. Washington at Detroit, 7:30 p.m. Indiana at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m. Dallas at Memphis, 8 p.m. New Orleans at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m. Charlotte at Golden State, 10:30 p.m. Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

RAPTORS 113, CAVALIERS 99 TORONTO (113)

Calderon 10-15 0-0 23, Anderson 6-12 1-2 18. Johnson 6-7 5-5 17. DeRozan 4-9 8-8 16, Lucas 4-7 1-1 11, Kleiza 2-6 6-7 10, Valanciunas 3-6 2-4 8, Davis 2-7 0-0 4, Pietrus 1-4 0-0 3, Ross 1-2 0-0 3. Totals 39-75 23-27 113.

CLEVELAND (99)

Irving 9-16 3-5 23, Varejao 5-12 12-16 22, Gee 6-8 2-3 15, Miles 4-7 3-3 13, Thompson 5-8 0-1 10, Waiters 4-13 0-2 8, Gibson 2-3 0-0 6, Zeller 1-2 0-0 2, Walton 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 36-70 20-30 99. 27 29 35 -113 Toronto 22

Cleveland 29 24 23 23 - 99 **3-Point Goals—**Toronto 12-24 (Anderson 5-7. Calderon 3-6. Lucas 2-3. Pietrus 1-3, Kleiza 0-3, Ross 1-1, DeRozan 0-1). Cleveland 7-16 (Irving 2-5, Miles 2-4, Gibson 2-3, Waiters 0-2, Gee 1-1, Walton 0-1). Rebounds—Toronto 36 (Valanciunas 7. Johnson 6. Anderson 6. DeRozan 5. Calderon 5, Davis 4, Kleiza 1, Lucas 1, Ross 1), Cleveland 33 (Vareiao 10, Thompson 9, Gee 4, Miles 4, Irving 3, Zeller 2, Gibson 1). Assists—Toronto 25 (Calderon 6), Cleveland 19 (Irving 7). Total Fouls—Toronto 24,

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Abbotsford at Chicago St. John's at Adirondack Norfolk at Hershey Albany at Bridgeport Toronto at Lake Erie Rochester at Grand Rapids W-R/Scranton at Ringhamton Rockford at Milwaukee San Antonio at Texas Tuesday's result

Peoria 4 Hamilton 3 (SO) Thursday's games All Times Eastern

Houston at Lake Erie, 7 p.m. Peoria at Charlotte, 7 p.m. Friday's games Connecticut at Manchester, 7 p.m.

San Antonio at Toronto, 7 p.m. Peoria at Charlotte, 7 p.m. Abbotsford at Grand Rapids, 7 p.m. Binghamton at Rochester, 7:05 p.m. Worcester at Providence, 7:05 p.m. St. John's at Hamilton, 7:30 p.m. Albany at Norfolk, 7:30 p.m. Adirondack at Syracuse, 7:30 p.m. Rockford at Milwaukee, 8 p.m. Texas at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.

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SCOTLAND

DIVISION 3 Tuesday's result East Stirlingshire 2, Montrose 2

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Tuesday's results
Bochum 3, 1860 Munich 0
Borussia Dortmund 5, Hannover 1
Stuttgart 2, Cologne 1 Wolfsburg 2, Bayer Leverkusen 1

TRANSACTIONS

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Suspended free agent minor league RHP Kyle Pelchy 50 games for refusing to take an off-season drug test.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Agreed to terms with 1B Travis Ishikawa, LHP Daniel Schlereth and LHP Zach Braddock on mino league contracts.

BOSTON RED SOX — Agreed to terms with RHP Ryan Dempster on a two-year contract. Designated RHP Pedro Beato for

CLEVELAND INDIANS — Designated OF Russ Canzler for assignment. Agreed to terms with RHP Joe Martinez and C Brian Jeroloman on minor league contracts.

DETROIT TIGERS — Released LHP Adam Wilk. Assigned LHP Matt Hoffman outright to Toledo (EL).

HOUSTON ASTROS - Named Men Vaillancourt vice president of community relations and executive director of the Astros In Action Foundation. Traded LHP Rob Rasmussen to the L.A. Dodgers for RHP

NEW YORK YANKEES — Agreed to terms with OF Ichiro Suzuki on a two-year contract. Designated RHP Jim Miller for

SEATTLE MARINERS — Traded LHP Jason Vargas to the L.A. Angels for 1B/DH Kendrys Morale

TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Agreed to terms with 2B Lance Zawadzki on a minor league contract. Claimed RHP Mickey Storey off waivers from Houston

NATIONAL LEAGUE

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS — Named Steve Sax first base coach and Turner Ward assistant hitting coach. Named Greg Gross hitting coach of Reno (PCL): Andy Green manager and Jacob Cruz hitting coach of Mobile (SL); Bill Plummer manager and Gil Heredia pitching coach of Visalia (Cal); Jason Camilli hitting coach of South Bend (MWL): Robby Hammock manager, Doug Bochtler pitching coach and Wilson Valera hitting coach of Missoula (Pioneer); and Luis Urueta manager of the Arizona League Diamondbacks.

COLORADO ROCKIES — Agreed to terms with LHP Jeff Francis on a one-year

MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Agreed to terms with RHP Alfredo Figaro on a minor league

FRONTIFR LFAGUE

LAKE ERIE CRUSHERS - Named Jeff Isom

RIVER CITY RASCALS — Signed 1B Mike Bando and 3B Jason Taylor to contract extensions.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS MINERS — Sent LHP Nick Cicio and LHP Darrin Tew to Rockford to complete an earlier trade. TRAVERSE CITY BEACH BUMS — Signed 2B

Rvan Still to a contract extension, Released LHP Bennett Whitmore. Exercised the 2013 contract options on LHP Nick Capito, RHP Jason Mattila, RHP Scott Dunn, RHP Brooks Belter, RHP Michael Devine, RHP Jacob Clem, RHP Scott Mueller, RHP Jake Sabol,

C Travis Higgs, C Marcus Nififfer, INF Jose Vargas, INF Kyle Eveland, INF Chase Burch, INF Jeff Flagg, INF Sean Gusrang, OF Kyle Colligan, OF Matt Howard, OF Brian Heere, RHP Reid Kelly and RHP Kurt Wunderlich.

ARIZONA CARDINALS — Released TE Steve Skelton from the practice squad. BALTIMORE RAVENS — Released LB D.J. Bryant from the practice squad. Signed RB Lonyae Miller to the practice squad. BUFFALO BILLS — Signed WR Kevin Elliott and LB Brian Smith to the practice squad. CAROLINA PANTHERS - Placed C Zack Williams on injured reserve. Signed G Hayworth Hicks from the practice squad. CHICAGO BEARS — Signed G Reggie Stephens to the practice squad.

CLEVELAND BROWNS — Signed TE George Bryan to the practice squad.

DALLAS COWBOYS — Released DE Robert Rose from the practice squad. DETROIT LIONS - Placed CB Jacob Lacev on injured reserve. Signed CB Rob Bartell. Signed DB Ross Weaver to the practice squad. Placed DT Nick Fairley on injured reserve. Signed DT Ogemdi Nwaghuo GREEN BAY PACKERS — Signed CB Otis Merrill to the practice squad.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Released G Robert Griffin from the practice squad. Signed T Lee Ziemba to the practice squad. MIAMI DOLPHINS - Placed RB Daniel Thomas on injured reserve. Signed DB Julian Posey from the practice squad.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS — Placed CB Corey White on injured reserve. Signed WR Saalim Hakim from the practice squad. PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Placed TE Clay

Harbor on injured reserve. PITTSBURGH STEELERS — Reinstated RB Rashard Mendenhall from the suspended list. Placed G Willie Colon and CB DeMarcus Van Dyke on injured reserve. Signed DB

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Signed LB Kyle Knox and DE Monte Taylor to the practice

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS — Signed TE Drake Dunsmore and LB Joe Holland to the practice squad.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Released LB Kourtnei Brown from the practice squad.

TORONTO ARGONAUTS - Released S Etienne Boulay, Re-signed DL Donte Paige-Moss. Signed LB Shane Horton.

AHL

ALBANY DEVILS — Loaned C Phil DeSimone to Trenton (ECHL).
BRIDGEPORT SOUND TIGERS — Signed

F Scott Campbell to a professional tryout contract.

CHICAGO FIRE — Announced the resignation of president Julian Posada D.C. UNITED — Re-signed D Robbie Russell.

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	10	4	0	.714	506	315
N.Y. Jets	6	8	0	.429	255	320
Miami	6	8	0	.429	264	279
Buffalo	5	9	0	.357	306	402
SOUTH						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Houston	12	2	0	.857	394	280
Indianapolis	9	5	0	.643	309	358
Tennessee	5	9	0	.357	285	396
Jacksonville	2	12	0	.143	219	383
NORTH						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	9	5	0	.643	348	307
Cincinnati	8	6	0	.571	355	293
Pittsburgh	7	7	0	.500	302	291
Cleveland	5	9	0	.357	280	310
WEST						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	11	3	0	.786	409	274
San Diego	5	9	0	.357	299	312

Saturday's game — All Times Eastern Atlanta at Detroit, 8:30 p.m.

Sunday's games Minnesota at Houston, 1 p.m. Tennessee at Green Bay, 1 p.m. Oakland at Carolina, 1 p.m. San Diego at N.Y. Jets, 1 p.m. Indianapolis at Kansas City, 1 p.m. New Orleans at Dallas, 1 n.m. St. Louis at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m. Buffalo at Miami, 1 p.m. Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m. Washington at Philadelphia, 1 p.m. Cleveland at Denver, 4:05 p.m. N.Y. Giants at Baltimore, 4:25 p.m. Chicago at Arizona, 4:25 p.m. San Francisco at Seattle, 8:20 p.m

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4	0	.714	506	315	Washington	8	6	0	.571	381	350
8	0	.429	255	320	Dallas	8	6	0	.571	327	338
8	0			279	N.Y. Giants	8	6	0	.571	373	304
9	0	.357	306	402	Philadelphia	4	10	0	.286	253	375
					SOUTH						
L	T	Pct	PF	PΑ	1	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
2	0	.857	394	280	Atlanta 1	2	2	0	.857	371	259
5	0	.643	309	358	New Orleans	6	8	0	.429	389	379
9	0			396	Tampa Bay	6	8	0			349
12	0	.143	219	383	Carolina	5	9	0	.357	296	319
					NORTH						
L	T	Pct	PF	PΑ	1	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
5	0	.643	348	307	Green Bay 1	0	4	0	.714	344	292
6	0	.571	355	293	Minnesota	8	6	0	.571	319	308
7	0	.500	302	291	Chicago	8	6	0	.571	321	240
9	0	.357	280	310	Detroit	4	10	0	.286	330	380
					WEST						
L	T	Pct	PF	PA		W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
3	0	.786	409	274	San Francisco 1	0	3	1	.750	357	218
9	0	.357	299	312	Seattle	9	5	0	.643	350	219
10	0			402			7	1	.464	258	315
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x — clinched playoff berth; y — clinched division.

WEEK 16

Kansas City

New England at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.

WEEK 17

Sunday, Dec. 30

Tampa Bay at Atlanta, 1 p.m. N.Y. Jets at Buffalo, 1 p.m. Baltimore at Cincinnati, 1 p.m. Chicago at Detroit, 1 p.m. Houston at Indianapolis, 1 p.m. Green Bay at Minnesota, 1 p.m. Miami at New England, 1 p.m. Carolina at New Orleans, 1 p.m. Philadelphia at N.Y. Giants, 1 p.m. Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m. Jacksonville at Tennessee, 1 p.m. Dallas at Washington, 1 p.m. Kansas City at Denver, 4:15 p.m. Oakland at San Diego, 4:15 p.m. Arizona at San Francisco, 4:15 p.m. St. Louis at Seattle, 4:15 p.m. Note: Sunday night game to be determined **END OF REGULAR SEASON**

HOCKEY

2013 CANADIAN WORLD JUNIOR HOCKEY TEAM ROSTER

Roster for the Canadian junior hockey team for the 2013 world junior championship Dec. 26-Jan. 5 in Ufa, Russia: GOALTENDERS

Jordan Binnington, Richmond Hill, Ont., Owen Sound (OHL); Jake Paterson, Mis-sissauga, Ont., Saginaw (OHL); Malcolm onto, Belleville (OHL).

DEFENCEMEN

Dougie Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara (OHL); Scott Harrington, Kingston, Ont., London (OHL); Ryan Murphy, Aurora, Ont., Kitchener (OHL); Xavier Quellet, Terrebonne, Oue., Blainville-Boisbriand (OMJHL): Griffin Que., Biainville-Bolsbriand (QMJHL); Griffi Reinhart, West Vancouver, B.C., Edmonton (WHL); Morgan Rielly, West Vancouver, B.C., Moose Jaw (WHL); Tyler Wother-spoon, Surrey, B.C., Portland (WHL). FORWARDS

Anthony Camara, Toronto, Barrie (OHL); Phillip Danault, Victoriaville, Que., Victoria-

ville (QMJHL); Jonathan Drouin, Huberdeau, Que., Halifax (QMJHL); Jonathan Huberdeau, St-Jerome, Que., Saint John (OMJHL): Charles Hudon, Boisbriand, Oue., Chicoutim (QMJHL); Boone Jenner, Dorchester, Ont., Oshawa (OHL); JC Lipon, Regina, Kamloop (WHL); Nathan MacKinnon, Cole Harbour, N.S., Halifax (QMJHL); Ryan Nugent-Hopkins, Burnaby, B.C., Oklahoma City (AHL); Ty Rattie, Airdrie, Alta., Portland (WHL); Brett Ritchie, Orangeville, Ont., Niagara (OHL); Mark Scheifele, Kitchener, Ont., Barrie (OHL);Ryan Strome, Mississauga, Ont., Niagara (OHL). **HEAD COACH**

Steve Spott, Waterloo, Ont., Kitchener (OHL)

ASSISTANT COACHES

Mario Duhamel, St-Bruno, Que., Drum-mondville (QMJHJ), Don Nachbauer, Prince הייסיימייים (עווידים), Don Nachbauer, Pri George, B.C., Spokane (WHL); Andre Tourigny, Nicolet, Que., Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL).

GOALTENDING COACH

Ron Tugnutt, Peterborough, Ont., Hockey



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BY BETTY MARTIN

↑ Aries

March 21 - April 20

The Sun joins Mars, your ruler, in the career area of your chart tomorrow, so you will be even more ambitious than usual. Impress those in positions of power but try not to do so at the expense of other people.

Taurus

April 21 - May 21

You are up for whatever life throws at you and when the Sun changes signs tomorrow, there will no holding you back. However, after your initial burst of enthusiasm you will need to settle into a steady routine.

II Gemini May 22 - June 21

It may at times seem as if the answers are "out there" waiting to be discovered but in reality they are "in here", where facts mean less than feelings. Take time to listen to your inner voice today — it has lots to tell you.

9 Cancer

June 22 - July 23

Don't worry too much if you have not been getting along with a certain person of late because you will soon be friends again. You will also find that your opinions were not nearly as far apart as you had previously believed.

Ω Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

You need to get serious about your work and your health. Because everything has been going so well for you of late, you have tended to overlook certain things but now it's time to take care of those boring details.

W Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

focus on your own special on all kinds of levels, including financial.

△ Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

The next few days are going to be of added importance for family matters. You will certainly find it easier than usual to see the world through loved ones' eyes. Better understanding makes compromise possible.

PLAY

M Scorpio

Oct. 2 04 - Nov. 22 However hard you try, you will not change another person's viewpoint. And however hard they try, they will not change yours. So what can you do? You can steer clear of each other as much as is humanely possible.

Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

Over the next few days, your thoughts will turn to what you own, what you earn and, more importantly, how you can start earning more. Get rid of a dozen ideas but the one that remains will make you rich.

り Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

The old solar year is coming to an end and when the Sun moves into your birth sign tomorrow, a new cycle will begin. After the disappointments of recent weeks, it will feel wonderful to know that all things are possible.

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Get away for a while. Leave the chaos and confusion of everyday life far behind. Before you go, let someone know that you do not exist to cater to their every whim. You have needs too and they must be satisfied.

Feb. 20 - March 20

made it possible for you to move up in your work or career. Now you must decide if you are happy with what you accomplished or if you want to go higher still. It's your choice. SALLY BROMPTON

Across

- 1. Vestment
- 7. Nickname of comedian Bill
- 10. One not to be trusted
- 12. Havana greeting
- 14. Thin Man's dog
- 15. Soup container
- 16. Rodents
- 17. Stargazers
- 20. Movie alien
- 21. Egyptian Sun God
- 22. Touched by an Angel actress
- 30. "Norma —"
- 36. Battery sz.
- 38. Ethel's partner in hijinks
- 46. Gobbled up
- 47. Tiny amount
- 51. Barbershop sound
- 52. Hill dweller

- 2. One of The Simpsons
- 5. Star of M*A*S*H
- 6. U2's lead vocalist
- 8. Bran source
- 11. Hotel fees
- 13. Halloween indulgence

- 4. Keyboard key

- 13. 70's Show

- 25. Carry in inventory
- 29. Pester
- 31. Tempest
- 34. Beautify
- 37. Head out
- 45. Pitch
- 49. Police activity
- 50. Cartoon pooch
- 53. CPR specialist
- 54. Opposite of WNW

Down

- 1. Chicken King
- 3. Belfry inhabitants
- 4. Filled tortilla
- 7. Cinders
- 9. Ave. crossers
- 18. Road abbr. 19. Robinson or Doubtfire
- 22. Found in the FR
- 23. Have a bite 24. Self
- 26. Gold, to Juan
- 27. My Mother the -
- 28. Olin of thirtysomething
- 32. Participated in a marathon 33. Sprina mo.
- 34. Turkish title 35. Roberts of Everybody Loves

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- Ravmond 38. Bank transaction
- 39. Kind of price
- 40. Steak order
- 41. Ledger entry
- 42. Penny 43. Completed
- 44. Soul singer Redding
- 45. La-la lead-in

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48. Mimic

Sudoku

How to play Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and

Yesterday's Sudoku

6	5	9	3	4	7	1	5	0
3	8	4	2	1	5	9	7	6
1	7	2	9	8	6	3	5	4
5	3	7	1	6	9	8	4	2
9	4	1	5	2	8	6	3	7
8	2	6	4	7	3	5	1	9
7	9	5	6	3	2	4	8	1
2	1	3	8	9	4	7	6	6
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2 3 8 6 1 3 4 8 9 7 5 2 1 3 4 4 3 7 5 1 6 8 3 9 1 8 4

Do something creative, something that gets you noticed. Everyone was born with an ability of some kind, so talent and make it work for you

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... and your ears perked

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As the end of the year draws closer, notable Ottawa personalities offer their thoughts on our city's future.

METRO OTTAWA STAFF

Harley Finkelstein, chief platform officer at Shopify

"Traditionally, Ottawa's tech sector has been mostly telecom and hardware. Now because of technology and the democratization of technology and entre



preneurship — I think what we're going to see in Ottawa, in the future, is a ton of smaller startups, as opposed to five or six huge employers."

Thoughts on the future of the tech sector

Adrian Salamunovic. cofounder of CanvasPop/DNA11

"I am seeing a groundswell of more creative tech companies as of recently. I think the older Ottawa tech sector is dead, the sort of Kanata-centric telecom switches and Alcatels. I'm not saying those companies are dead; I'm just saying that's not the future, necessarily, of Ottawa. I think we're going to see a



shift towards e-commerce, mobile, and creative-type web companies and hopefully more (of) a consumer shift."

John Criswick, **CEO of Magmik**



"My main business focus lately is in the game industry and I find the potential and opportunity for growth in that sector in Ottawa to be huge. The future of tech in Ottawa is in those types of creative sectors.

Luc Levesque. founder of TravelPod



"Telecom will be a big part of the local tech scene for a long time, but the reality is that there's tremendous opportunity, disruption and innovation still to come in both Internet and mobile applications. This isn't a skill set Ottawa's typically known for, but that's changing.

Bruce Lazenby, **CEO of Invest Ottawa**



"There are three directions from which Ottawa's tech sector will grow: One is from the existing companies as they hire and

do more work here. The other way we grow technology here is bringing in players from around the world who are looking to set up new offices here. The third way is by starting new companies and we've been doing that at a record pace."



















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YOU READ IT HERE FIRST: WORLD WON'T END IN 2013, EITHER



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If you're reading this, congratulations are in order. You made it! The world didn't end last week after all, as had been predicted by the usual sorts of excitable goofballs.

The apocalyptic assumption that Dec. 21 was the world's best-before date seemed to be based on a corresponding "end date" on the Mayan calendar, which might have indicated nothing more to the ancients than it was time to start chiselling a new calendar.

Not only didn't the end times start, but Ottawa's 2012 could have been much worse. Compare our city-wide upset over modest matters like the Highway 174 sinkhole with the scandal-forced resignations of Laval's and Montreal's mayors — or even the long-running one-man comedy revue that is Rob Ford's Toronto — and tell me which city's problems you'd rather have.

Now that we're over that Dec. 21 hump day, it seems we'll have a 2013 after all. To predict what the year will bring, though, is to ask to be humbled by events just as thoroughly as those December doomsayers.

Still, at city hall, they wisely assumed life

Still, at city hall, they wisely assumed life would go on next year and drafted a budget, so we know a little bit about the road ahead.

Property taxes will continue their slow, steady rise with the smallest increase in six years — if you don't count a hefty hike in property assessments, which will still increase the total many of us pay; an expected seven per cent increase in water rates for 2013, an area excluded from Mayor Watson's 2.5 per cent cap; or the eventual cost of the borrowing that helps keeps those tax rates down.

The low-increase trend is likely to continue next fall when council hashes out its election-year budget. But as always in municipal politics, many cards are in the hands of other levels of government.

A provincial election seems entirely likely in 2013 and that could fry some of Ottawa's best-laid, carefully budgeted plans, especially if a change in government threatens the continued uploading of social-service costs from the city's books through 2018. The measure is supposed to provide a collective \$1.5 billion in budgetary breathing room for Ontario municipalities, of which they are relying on every cent.

The deficit-haunted provincial government has already announced it will take a bite out of some social-assistance benefits in 2013, and even with an emergency reshuffle of funds in Ottawa's budget to blunt the impact of the cuts, it's still going to be \$2.2 million harder to be poor in the nation's capital.

There's uncertainty, too, at the federal level. The \$33-billion Building Canada Fund, emergency surgery for our cities' clunky infrastructure, expires in 2013. The cities are angling for a new agreement — prominently featuring more money — but the feds aren't exactly feeling awash in cash, either.

In the meantime, the chances of another dramatic infrastructure failure here in 2013, like 2012's sinkhole or 2011's water-main collapse at Hunt Club and Woodroffe, remain reasonably good.

As we scramble to keep our old pipes and roads functioning, we'll also get moving, finally, on light rail.

If all goes as planned with the latter (always a sizeable "if") construction should begin on the first phase of the system. Similar cautions should be attached to its 2018 completion date and \$2.1-billion price tag, both of which are potentially subject to red-faced revision at a later, wiser date.

OC Transpo will also attempt to relaunch the Presto fare-payment system in February, six months after July's aborted debut. We'll see whether glitches with the bus-board units have been fixed, and how well they operate in winter.

Calgary, frustrated by multiple failures of their similar Connect system, is actually ripping units out of their buses and trains. We'll hope to avoid such spasms of buyer's remorse here.

One confident prediction: The world won't end in 2013, either. Whether I'm right or wrong, it's literally the last thing you'll have to worry about.



Metro asks: What's your prediction for 2013?



Lis McMillan, 21, Halifax

"It will probably be a lot like (2012). Cold in the winter. Warmer in the summer. Probably a couple superstorms."



Helen Litam, 23, Richmond, B.C.

"No more (MTV's) 16 and Pregnant people."



Katrina Lat, 20, London

"Walt Disney will be removed from his current cryogenically frozen state, and brought in to help direct Star Wars: Episode 7."



Ali Hancharyk, 27, Winnipeg

"2013 will see popular music deteriorate to the point of solely consisting of just beeping noises and laser sounds."



Lorissa Good, 37, Calgary

"Same-sex marriages will be allowed in more U.S. states once they realize how much money gay people spend on parties."



Kevin Kirouac, 43, Edmonton

"I predict a female, black Prime Minister for the country. It would shock everybody." (Ed's note: shocking since there's no federal election in 2013.)



Pat Mallough, 23, Saskatoon

"We're going to complain about the weather ... gas prices are going to go up, gas prices are going to go down."



Jon Poulin, 28, Regina

"The States legalizing marijuana. And I am excited to see how that would affect our view of things here in Canada."



Jeff Brodawka, 38, Toronto

"There will actually be a more steady growth and a little bit more of a quiet confidence about the economy."



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Wacky weather on tap for 2013

Environment Canada.

Climatologist predicts new year will bring another active hurricane season — following a trend of the past 3 years



PHOEBE HO

Mother Nature has another warm and wacky year on tap for 2013, says Environment Canada.

With the destructive Superstorm Sandy barely off our radars, senior climatologist David Phillips predicts there's more to come.

"I think there'll be weird, wild and wacky weather," he says. "We live in a planet of extremes. It's not just sandstorms in the Middle East — it could be blizzards in Edmonton. We know on a planet of extreme weather. There's no utopia."

Phillips warns Canadians to expect "more hiccups, more body blows when it comes to weather, 'cause we've seen that and there's nothing to suggest that trend will change."

One of the big indicators is



A stop sign stands askew after being blown by Hurricane Isaac on Aug. 29 in New Orleans. Environment Canada climatologist David Phillips predicts 2013 will follow a similar weather pattern as was seen this past year. JOHN MOORE/GETTY IMAGES

the ongoing weather trends. The world has been in an active weather period for the last two decades, says Phillips, especially the last three years, which have seen 19 tropical storms each. With El Nino — a global

climate pattern associated with the warming of the surface water in the Pacific Ocean hanging on in 2013, creating not just warm weather but also favourable winds, Phillips says, next year will likely be another active hurricane season.

"The world is warmer, and when you get the warm world, you get more powerful weather," he says.

While he can't predict exactly how many storms 2013 will

bring about, Phillips says one thing's for sure: Don't expect things to cool off in Canada or anywhere else in the world.

The last time the world encountered a colder-than-normal year was 35 years ago,

according to Phillips. Judging from the weather trends, El Nino and the vanishing Arctic ice, he says, it's safe to say it will be another warm year.

"Stick a thermometer in the planet — you're seeing global fever," he says. "I'd be the most surprised person on this planet if in fact it showed that the world is colder than normal.... And as the world goes, so goes Canada. We represent a lot of real estate of this planet."

But whatever happens, Phillips believes Canadians are ready for anything mother nature has in store for this weather-proofed nation.

"Canadians are all expert weather people. We can't get enough weather," he says. "What will we talk about if we didn't have the weather to talk about?"

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"We live in a planet of extremes.... We know on a planet of extreme weather, there's no utopia."

David Phillips, senior climatologist with Environment Canada

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Lexicography geeks, may we have a word?

What do derecho, obesogenic and hen all have in common? According to the Global Language Monitor (GLM), they are newly popular — or newly formed — words that may become part of the regular vernacular in 2013.

"As soon as a word is used by more than one person, it be-comes part of the English language," said Yin Liu, associate professor at the University of Saskatchewan's College of Arts and Science.

An expert in the study of the English language, Liu said getting a word to become an "official" part of the English language isn't as clear-cut as simply adding it to a dictionary.

"Often a word has been in use years before it shows up in the printed version of the dictionary," said Liu.

According to Liu, for a word to be considered "official" it has to be traceable. For instance, the word "gridlock" can be traced to traffic workers in New York in the '80s.

Social media has sped up new word development at incredible rates, says Paul JJ Payack, president of GLM. As an example, he brings up the weatherman who online de-

The following words are gaining popularity and may become part of the regular vernacular in 2013. Before casually dropping them in party conversations, find out what they mean:

- Obesogenic: An environ-ment that tends to encourage obesity. It has been gaining popularity when describing advertisements that sell sugary, high-calorie snacks to kids.
- Derecho: Also known as a "land hurricane," a sudden storm with extremely strong one-directional winds
- Hen: The Swedish word aimed at creating a genderneutral pronoun to replace him or her

scribed then-hurricane Sandy as a "Frankenstrom," which was then repeated over 90 million times within a week.

"We estimate about 14.7 new words are created a day.' said Pavack. IANE CAULFIELD/METRO





They know your type: **Tracking real-world** trends through Google

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That's because companies can now track consumer intentions based on what shoppers plug in to their search bars. Given the sheer amount of searches per minute, companies can even isolate data from particular countries, provinces and cit-

Shoppers on Canada's east coast, for instance, aren't as interested in patio furnishings as people in Vancouver until later in the season, ac-

There are 4.8 billion Google searches per month in Canada alone. That's 57.6 billion cording to Walmart's Drew Cashmore.

"It helps us make more merchandizing educated merchandizing decisions," said Cashmore, Walmart's director of digital

marketing.

"If we know that a particular TV is going to be hot this season, we'll work to wards pushing that specific item or brand."

Cashmore said the retail giant is surprisingly nimble at adjusting to the data mined through customers' searches, tailoring messaging and promotion.

There are limits to what information can be gleaned

ever. During the last Canadian election, Dr. Anatoliy Gruzd and his team at Dalhousie University's Social Media Lab attempted to use tweets and Facebook posts to assess who would win.

"We tried to match the data to the other polls, the general polls," Gruzd said in a November interview with Metro News. "(But) not every-body is using social media."

Because the sample was skewed towards a young and technology-addicted popula-tion, the data could not compete with traditional forms



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The future of endangered species

Narwhal

Narwhals, called the "Unicorns of the sea" due to their long, sharp tusk, feed deep under packed arctic ice, which provides them shelter from predators. Less ice means less defence.



With 2012 seeing the largest mass of summer ice melting in the Arctic in modern history, it's no surprise experts predict more of the same for 2013. The melting ice has implications for some of Canada's most threatened species. Metro spoke with World Wildlife Fund scientist and researcher Pete Ewin, who said there will continue to be winners and losers in the globalwarming species game.

ELISHA DACEY

Polar bears

Polar bears are hugely dependent on sea ice for their food supply. Less ice means fewer chances of fattening up on ringed seals, their primary food, which keeps them nourished the rest of the year around. Ewin said polar bears will eventually be found only further north, and have been eating more seaweed and kelp in recent years to keep their

Ringed seals

Warmer waters and less ice mean fewer resting places for the ringed seal. Ringed seals usually pup on large ice floes and spend most of their lives in contact with ice or icy waters. Smaller ice floes keep these solitary animals from spreading out like they're used to doing.

Killer whales

Considered a threatened species, killer whales are making a comeback in areas with warmer temperatures and warmer waters. Warmer waters in the north mean killer whales will be found with more frequency in northern climates



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Other seals

The decline of the ringed seal will mean more food for other types of seal. Harp seals, which like colder waters but not ice, may move in, affecting the diet of other animals and the Inuit, many of whom rely on ringed seals

Some salmon

Different species of salmon used to warmer waters will start to replace others. This will also bring killer whales closer, as their primary food source is salmon.

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10 things forecast to happen in 2013



Obama's second inauguration will see yet another inspirational speech by the President, but can he inspire the U.S. economy to recovery?

Jan. 21: Four more years

Barack Obama is sworn in for a second (and final) term as President of the United States. Inauguration Day begins with a church service, after which the President and his family travel to



Capitol Hill, where the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court will administer the oath. Obama will then deliver his Inaugural Address. The day ends with inaugural balls.

Feb. 10: Year of the Snake

Chinese New Year begins the Year of the Snake. According to Chinese astrology, a person born in the Year of the Snake is very wise and can be a theologian, as well as a smart banker. She also has good taste in food and fashion but is not frivolous. Sounds like a good year to have babies.

March 20: UN says be happy



First-ever International Happiness Day. The day, sponsored by the UN, is the latest move towards establishing happiness as a key factor in comparing nations. A number of countries, including Britain, now have official National Happiness indexes. The Smiley emoticon, meanwhile, celebrated its 30th birthday in September 2012.

March 21: Closure of Alcatraz, 50 years ago



Will Sean Connery be back? Fifty years ago, Alcatraz closed. The world's most famous prison (known as 'The Rock') housed America's most infamous prisoners, including Al Capone. Thirtysix escape attempts were made from the prison island, but none are known to have succeeded. Sean Connery's character in the movie, The Rock, succeeded, however.

June 14: Open race in Iran election



Iran holds presidential elections. Firebrand Mahmoud Ahmadinejad has served two terms as President and is ineligible to run again. So, the race is wide open, with analysts reading the tea leaves to see which candidate Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei will support. The outcome of the election will be closely watched by the world as Iran is currently on a confrontational course with the international community over its nuclear program.

June 29: Ready, steady, cycle



The Tour de France begins today, dramatically scrubbed of the memory of Lance Arm-strong, who's been stripped of his seven Tour wins over doping allegations. Bradley Wiggins, the Brit who won the race in 2012 and the 2012 Olympic gold in the road time trial, has turned down the charge to defend his title. the chance to defend his title, agreeing instead to support his team-mate Chris Froome's bid for glory.

July 1: EU welcomes Croatia



Croatia becomes the 28th member of the European Union. Its neighbour and on-and-off foe, Serbia, is still negotiating membership. And Turkey will make a renewed push for EU membership starting on this date, when Lithuania takes over the rotating EU presidency.

September: Merkel faces vote



Another victory for the Iron Chancellor? Germany goes to the polls in parliament-ary elections. While Angela Merkel remains popular in terms of personality, her coalition government may

not survive the election, as the Liberal Democrats, the junior partner, are languishing at 4 per cent of the vote in polls. Merkel's CDU gets 36 per cent, compared to 30 per cent for the Social Democrats. The Pirate Party is also running, as are the Greens.

Nov. 14: Charles turns 65



Even though he's now retirement age, heir to the British throne Prince Charles may have to wait for vet some time to become King. At age 86, his mother, Queen Elizabeth II, remains in good health. The Queen's mother lived to be 101 years old.

Nov. 22: JFK remembered



versary of the assassination of U.S. President Kennedy. IFK was killed

by gunshots while visiting Dallas. Lee Harvey Oswald an American who had moved to the Soviet Union, was arrested, but was killed by nightclub operator Jack Ruby before he could stand trial. Mystery still surrounds JFK's murder. The anniversary will be commemorated in Dallas. ELISABETH BRAW/METRO WORLD NEWS



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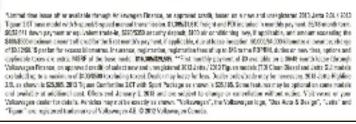
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These countries make headlines around the world. They face civil unrest, displaced civilians, and even the possibility of nuclear war. Metro asked Matt Ferrell, a political-science professor at Fanshawe College in London, Ont., to help predict what the world's newsmakers might look like in 2013. Here is a brief look at some of the world's hot spots and the possibilities they might meet in 2013

ANDREW SERCOMBE

Syria

What is the issue? Between 2.5 million and three million people have been displaced by civil conflict that erupted in March 2011.



Future best-case scenario: Current Syrian leadership steps down, allowing oppositional groups to coalesce and put together a functioning government.

Future worst-case scenario: Civil conflict continues and escalates. Russia and China, who support the leadership in Syria, stall international intervention and protect the current Syrian government.

Probable scenario: With the support of Russia and China, the Syrian government continues a war against oppositional groups, stalling the country's development and its aid to displaced citizens.

hotspots to watch in 2013

Iran

What is the issue? Iran's pursuit of nuclear weapons could provoke an attack from Israel.

Future best-case scenario: Diplomatic resolution.

Future worst-case scenario: Israel launches pre-emptive nuclear strike against Iran. The United – Israel's main supporter — is forced to become involved.



Probable scenario: Iran's military continues to possess more political control than

the country's government. Iran continues to pursue nuclear weapons despite an international push for

Libya

What is the issue? Militia groups are overrunning a dissolving central government.

Future best-case scenario: Civil society triumphs. The central government is able to reinstate its power, and the country is able to restore democracy in place of the extremist groups.

Future worst-case scenario: Factionalism persists



and internal conflict between the many minigovernments fighting the central government destroys the country.

Probable scenario: Civil unrest continues as militia groups struggle for power with the central government.



Afghanistan

What is the issue? Security in the country is very poor. Afghanistan's government struggles to protect civilians from military conflict between American forces and the Taliban.

Future best-case scenario: The United States removes troops from Afghanistan by 2014, and the government is left stable and functioning.

Future worst-case scenario: Conflict continues between the Afghan military and Taliban. The government dissolves, and Pakistan enters the conflict, supporting the Taliban.

Probable scenario: The United States will withdraw in 2014. Afghanistan will be left a divided country. On paper the mission will appear a success, but in reality the country will still suffer from conflicting factions.

North Korea

What is the issue? Too much of the North Korean government's budget is invested in the military, rather than infrastructure development, leaving the country with a low domestic product.



Future best-case scenario: China acts as peacemaker between North Korea and South Korea. North Korea installs more moderate leadership.

Future worst-case scenario: The conflict between North Korea and South Korea escalates, forcing international intervention.

Probable scenario: New North Korean leader Kim Jong Un continues the policies of the past.





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10 people to watch in 2013

William and Kate

With a baby on its way in the summer, the royal couple will dominate the news throughout the winter and spring. Indeed, since celebrity babies are manna from heaven for the media, they'll dominate the news throughout the year. And they'll single-handedly keep tabloids afloat, not to mention the bookmakers, who are already reporting a betting frenzy on the baby's name. Top odds so far are for Mary, Elizabeth, Victoria, John



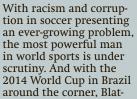
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Vladimir Putin



Never one to stay out of the public eye, the Russian president has

surprised the public by not staging any recent photo shoots. Watchers debate whether he's suffering from serious illness. Or, having recently fired two government ministers, is he simply busy cleaning up the country's corruption?

Arthur Mutambara

The new Mugabe? In March, Zimbabwe holds parliamentary elections and if they're free and fair, voters are likely to boot out veteran leader Robert Mugabe. People may turn to Mutambara and his party,

Movement for Democratic Change-Mutambara faction.



Peer Steinbrück



Merkel. German Chancellor Angela Merkel needs an opponent in the

parliamentary election, so the Social Democrats have recruited veteran government minister Steinbrück. And, given that Merkel's coalition is down in the polls, Steinbrück could become Germany's next

David Beckham

The soccer veteran is leaving LA Galaxy, but where will he go next? Rumour has it that Beckham is headed for France — that country would certainly be the best option for wife Victoria's growing fashion business. Alternatively,



he could become a full-time underwear model, or even an

François Hollande

The French socialist made headlines as the winner of France's presidential election. But now he's been in the news mostly on account of the battle between ex-partner Segolene Royal and current girlfriend Valerie Trierweil-



er. In 2013 Hollande has to act decisively to restore his credibility.

Michelle **Bachelet**

Chile's first female president, now leader of the world's female

population at UN Women, may return to politics by entering the 2013 presidential race in Chile. If she wins the election, this personable ex-doctor is poised to become Latin America's Angela Merkel.

Lady Gaga

In 2012, long periods of time went by without any news from the oftencontroversial international pop sensation. If it continues like this, she'll soon lose her crown as the most followed on Twitter to rival

popstress Rihanna. Stay tuned for more outrageous





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EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED

Metro asks two psychics to tell us what's coming up next year in entertainment, sports and politics. First up is Psychic Nikki, a Toronto-based clairvoyant who says she predicted Hurricane Sandy, Barack Obama's first presidential win and the Tom Cruise and Katie Holmes split.



LISA WILTON

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What's in store for some big-name celebrities and celebrity couples?

Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie will marry, and I see another child. But she has to watch her health.

Jennifer Aniston will have a child, or at least pregnancy and a marriage. But I also see another man besides (fiancé) Justin Theroux.

I see a marriage for Kim Kardashian.

Taylor Swift has to be careful around transportation. I see a handsome cowboy type around her, possibly business and romance combined.

(The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge) may have a set of twins in the future.

Jessica Biel and Justin Timberlake may have a kid, but their marriage is doomed in the future when one of Obama's reading

"He is in extreme danger during the next four years and he may not finish his term."

Psychic Nikki, on U.S. President Barack Obama's political future

them has a roving eye. Justin Bieber will do more

Justin Bieber will do more acting. There could a sitcom. He has to be careful of fast cars or red ones.

Helen Hunt will be nominated for an Academy Award for The Surrogate and Keira Knightley for Anna Karenina. Meryl Streep may be nominated again. Daniel Day-Lewis will be nominated for Lincoln and Sir Anthony Hopkins could also receive an Oscar nomination.

How will the political landscape change in the next year?
Prime Minister Stephen

Harper will work well with the American president, but there could be a crisis where he is tested. He also has to watch for danger.

(U.S.) President (Barack) Obama will try to turn the economy around, but it will be hard with all the natural disasters coming. U.S. Vice-President Joe

U.S. Vice-President Joe Biden has to watch health and danger also. He could be replaced, maybe by a woman.

It will take a long time for the economy to pick up because of natural disasters and potential terrorist attacks, and wars in the Middle East and Asia. But there could be a gold rush in Canada.

So, what are these natural disasters you speak of? Should vacationers avoid certain areas in the next year?

Ĭ see a lot of earthquake activity on the West Coast of the United States right up to British Columbia and Alaska. There will be earthquakes in the Middle East, China and Japan. Also Mexico, South American, New York City, Quebec, Virginia, Washington and Tennessee. I would try to avoid coastal areas.

What are your sports predictions?

Î see a famous Formula One driver being killed in a fiery crash and I think there will be a sex scandal in the NHL.





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Calgary-based clairvoyant Kim Dennis, seen at left, is a regular guest on TV and radio programs. She gives Metro her vision of the year ahead.



On Jennifer Aniston and Justin Theroux:

I think they'll probably get married. I think she's found the one. I think there might be twins.

On Taylor Swift:

The thing with Taylor Swift is she shouldn't be settling down with anyone right now.

She's supposed to be dating in her twenties. I think it's just people's perception that

she's always heartbroken. She's taking her time finding love. I think she'll fall in love this year at least twice. I think she's right on track.

She's doing what she's supposed to be doing.

On Justin Bieber:

I think he'll be a legend like Donny Osmond. I think his success will continue to soar

On politics: Calgary Mayor Naheed Nenshi will get in again. He'll be mayor for a while.

Justin Trudeau will win Liberal leadership, but I don't see him becoming prime minister. I think Stephen Harper will get elected again.

Quebec won't

separate. There will always be a group who wants to, but the province will stay in Canada.

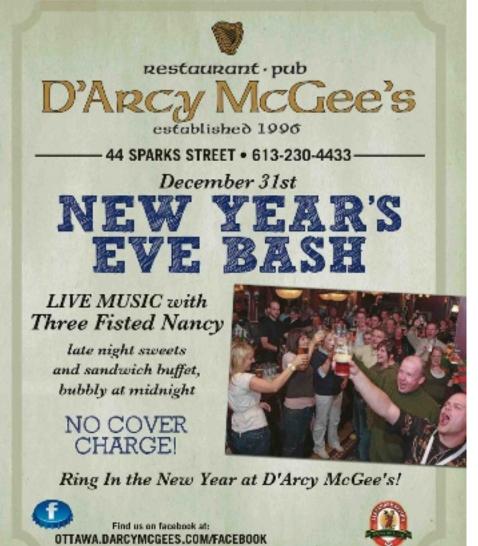
Other predictions: I think (Ugandan war criminal) Joseph Kony will be caught.

Something's going to rock the Catholic Church. I know they've had lots of contro-

versy, but it might be something that brings it to its knees. I think somebody big, like a monsignor, will reveal something that will shake up the Catholic Church. I think there will be a tsunami just after Christmas, I see the South Pacific, maybe around Australia.









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Talking tech predictions for 2013

Technology continues to evolve at a rapid pace and there are no signs it will slow down anytime soon. 2013 will usher in a new wave of products and consumer technology. Here are a few tech trends you can expect to see in the coming months

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3-D printing

Create custom jewelry, smartphone cases and even small toys in the comfort of your own home. 3-D printing technology has been around for a few years, but the equipment and supplies have been expensive. All signs now point towards a massive push to the consumer market in 2013. Download a template, press print, and wait while your project comes to life right in front of your eyes.

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Cloud-based gaming

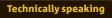
Play video games without shelling out big bucks for a high-end gaming console. Cloud-based games are run on remote servers and are streamed to your home. Since the servers do all the heavy lifting, you can run the games on virtually any device such as a television or tablet. You never have to worry about outdated hardware. Microsoft and Sony are both said to be looking at the technology for their new consoles, which are expected to be announced in 2013.

OLED TV

Each year television displays get thinner and thinner, but this could be the year they finally become paper-thin. Last year at the annual Consumer Electronics Show in Las Vegas, both LG and Samsung showed amazing OLED (organic light-emitting diode) panels. These stylized TVs were beautifully designed, boasted rich colour and were a mere 4 mm thick. Despite promises they would hit the market in 2012, it never happened.

Ultra highdefinition TV

Think your high-definition television has a beautiful picture? Just wait until you see what's around the corner. Manufacturers such as Sony are launching 4K TV, which puts current high-definition sets to shame. Imagine four times the resolution than your current HDTV. I've seen these new sets and I've got to say the picture is jaw-dropping, but so is the price.



A top trend

Rise of digital media receiver



scribers ended their subscriptions in 2011, and the trend is expected to continue thanks to more people picking up digital media receivers by companies like Roku and Apple. With these "boxes," users can use streaming services like Hulu Plus, Netflix and Amazon Instant video to watch whatever they want, whenever they want.

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Journalism has come a long way since the days when we all wore hats that said "Press" and drank whiskey at our desk. Now we wear hats that say "Internet" and drink Jack and Coke Zero at our desk.

We've come a long way, baby.

There have been many changes in the way we collect the news, too. There was a time when the public wanted — and the media delivered — complete, accurate information at the end of the working day, while the kids removed Dad's slippers and Mom made meatloaf.

But now Mom and Dad live apart and the kids are busy sexting, so to fill the gaping void in your life you fill the hole with news, news and more news, every minute, day and night.

Even stories like the Ikea monkey get updated as quickly as

Even stories like the Ikea monkey get updated as quickly as possible, because we in the media don't want to look like fools with an out-of-date story about a monkey in a coat.

We will be coming to you live from the Ikea parking lot, dammit, and if the monkey flings some feces, you will hear about it before it hits the ground. That's our solemn promise to you.

This speed has occasionally led to what some may call errors, such as when we kill off people who aren't dead yet. But the fact of the matter is those people will some day be dead. We've only been giving you a heads up. You're welcome.

With that in mind, I've noticed that some of my media colleagues have stuck to their tired old ways by writing a Year in Review. That is so 2012.

Instead, I bring you the 2013 Year in Advance. Here are the stories that will happen next year, before they've happened.

- Jan. 11: NASA scientists announce a major breakthrough when the Mars Curiosity rover finds itself. "I want to be a painter," the machine declares.
- Feb. 5: Inspired by seven-time Tour de France winner Lance Armstrong's example, Rolling Stones guitarist Keith Richards also denies drug use.
- April 9: According to a new report, the Harper government ******* in ******** the ***** transparency.
 May 15: Avril Lavigne throws Nickelback into disarray
- May 15: Avril Lavigne throws Nickelback into disarray when she teaches fiancé and lead singer Chad Kroeger a new chord progression. Other band members say her "crazy ideas" are threatening to "Yoko Ono" the band's singular sound.
- Sept. 30: Meteorologists change the naming system for hurricanes to better reflect reality. Hurricane I Am a Direct Result of Global Warming causes major damage to the U.S. coastline, yet fails to breach the Republican consciousness.
- Oct. 9: Will and Kate Plus 8 debuts on the Royal Life Network, as monarchists devour the latest news from Georges I through VIII.
- Nov. 4: Toronto Mayor Rob Ford's new 700-page memoir, The Broken Republic: A Treatise on Debate and Democracy, from Plato to the Paris Convention, is hailed as a masterwork of the genre.
- masterwork of the genre.
 Dec. 15: BREAKING NEWS Ikea monkey has died, Twitter confirms. Oh, wait, he was only asleep. But sources say he will die eventually. You're welcome.



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Who are we to block the sun?



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Geoengineering

Scientific solution to global warming

A record loss of Arctic sea ice and faster-than-expected melting of Greenland's ice cap made worldwide headlines in 2012, but research published in major science journals suggests warming in the North doesn't have to continue from 2013 on.

Scientists theorize that injecting reflective particles of some kind into the high atmosphere could reduce the amount of sunlight reaching the Earth's surface and compensate for the greenhouse effect.

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Ethical question



hard questions here aren't mostly technical.

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They're questions about what kind of planet we want and who we are."

David Keith, a Calgarian and professor of applied physics at Harvard University. Keith said any significant nation in the world has the technological capacity to facilitate a drop in the Earth's temperature.

Save it for an emergency

Cooling the Earth could be a bad idea

In a world that seems unable to come to grips with carbondioxide emissions driving climate change, manipulating the Earth's climate to cool it down has some calling geoengineering a bad idea.

The professor behind the idea, David Keith, believes emissions should be cut, and he doesn't advocate such a plan, at least not yet.

He suggested geoengineering may be a viable response to a "climate emergency" — a sudden collapse of ice sheets or a killing drought. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Debate heats up

- The UN has ruled out geoengineering.
- Peter Mooney of the Ottawa-based Etc Group, an environmental technology watchdog, is skeptical of anyone's ability to manage geoengineering.
- "The governments who screwed up in the first place can't be expected to take something like planetary systems management and do a better job of it," he said.

ebooks

2013 is no time to toss the cookbook in the trash

While ebooks have been exploding in popularity in recent years, scholars, chefs and those who just love to tool around in the kitchen say it's not time to stick a fork in the physical cookbook just yet.

Trend watcher Christine Couvelier, who recently passed the 3,000 mark in her cookbook collection, thinks the print format isn't going anywhere, though she also enjoys such innovations as the video clips used with recipes, and stories in publications like Martha Stewart Living that she reads on her iPad.

"There's something about experiencing a cookbook the way the author designed it so the right format is there," said the Victoria-based chef, who noted that some ereaders reformat cookbooks.

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Paywalls

Newspapers go back to the future

Whether they're lauded as the future of online media or labelled a scourge on the flow of digital information, opinions abound on the rise of paywalls in Canada, and the conversation is only going to get louder. One frequently cited example of such success is the New York Times, but observers caution that the paper is an "elite" product.

Some Postmedia papers

— including the Montreal Gazette, the Ottawa Citizen and the Vancouver Sun — have been experimenting with paywalls this year. The company plans to put the rest of its newspapers behind a paywall in early 2013.

The Globe and Mail launched its much-anticipated paywall recently, and the Toronto Star, which boasts the highest circulation in Canada, will also be watching the evolution of its audience very closely once it puts up a paywall in 2013.

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From aggressive women to quiet men to androgynous rappers, the new year looks promising

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Savages

One of the biggest buzzes out of this year's CMJ Music Marathon in New York City was Savages, four London women whose punctuated attack on every song is every bit as vicious and thrilling as their name implies. Gemma Thompson plays guitar like she's the runaway teenage daughter of The Edge. Yes, she learned a lot from her old man, but she's still rebelling against him with the way she draws abrasive and occasionally atonal sounds out of the instrument. It's not easy to make out the subject matter coming from singer Jehnny Beth, but it's unmistakably angry, as she flails about like every convulsion is choreographed to the beats of drummer Fay Milton, who just wails on her kit. Holding down all the chaos is bassist Ayse Hassan. The sound is post-punk (sounding like a cross between Joy Division and the aforementioned early U2 thing). They've officially released a single and a live EP, but expect an LP in the first part of 2013. **PAT HEALY**



Bands to listen to in 2013

Mykki Blanco

Mykki Blanco, the alter ego of Michael Quattlebaum Jr., mixes a helping of tribal beats with her radical rap. The solo artist follows in the nontraditional path of recent indie hip-hop a la Odd Future, successfully dipping into punk and electro while retaining individuality. Her profile is bound to go up in the early morths of 2012 is bound to go up in the early months of 2013 with the slow and steady reception of praise she is receiving from her November-released album, Cosmic Angel: The Illuminati Prince/ss.



Night Beds

Winston Yellin has the sort of voice that could quiet a huge room. It's not necessarily the Fleet Foxes/My Morning Jacket airy style of delivery that's so effective as much as you can just tell that this is somebody who is saying something that he feels deeply, and there's really nothing much more contagious than that. If his song Even If We Try is any indication, his album, Country Sleep, which will be



out on Dead Oceans in February, is going to be a stunner.

EVE HYMAN

Little Green Cars

The hook for this Irish band's recent single, The John Wayne, is "it's easy to fall in love." And with LGC's simple and authoritative harmonic songs, it really is easy. They can weave their voices together as beautifully as any esteemed practitioner of the traditional music of their homeland, but they combine it with a crushing angst and the joy of rocking out. The band are expected to deliver a full-length in the early part of the year.



Deap Vally

Considering the oversaturation of bleeps and bloops lately, Joan Jett-esque grrl rock duo Deap Vally are a welcome change. Skimpy, sequined outfits, long hair and heavy rockin' are the name of the game for these L.A. women who are already signed to Island Records and have recently been opening for Muse in Europe. Throw on your jean jacket and get down with Lindsey Troy's raspy vocals.

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Cupid, draw back your bow

After reading some tea leaves, shuffling a virtual deck of tarot cards and participating in a séance with an extra from a Kevin Bacon movie (that guy was just seven degrees of separation from every star on the planet), we've divined several fantasy couples the paparazzi will be all over in the new year.

MIKE DOJC

Jennifer Lawrence & Justin Bieber

Sorry Selena Gomez but Bieber is a young buck and he is going to sow his oats. After they call it quits again, he'll cavort with a few models, play the young Hollywood field and then get nostalgic for the good old days when he was half of a glamorous power couple. And the mere sight of the Biebs walking down the red carpet with the Hunger Games hottie on his arm



Leonardo DiCaprio & Yvonne Strahovski

Leo certainly has a type: blonde tressed, luscious lipped, S.I. Swimsuit calibre model with legs that go on forever. Aussie stunner Strahovski (Chuck, Dexter) hits all those marks and she'd also make an exquisite addition to a "I canoodled with DiCaprio" calendar, fitting right in with former flames Gisele Bündchen, Bar Refaeli, Erin Heatherton, and Blake Lively.







Gerard Butler & Heidi Klum

With Seal now out of the picture, there are plenty of A-list fish in the sea raring to nibble on the Project Runway host's manicured toes. But Heidi knows what she wants so choosing a man is as easy as deciding whether to wear Cavalli or Versace. While Klum's been carrying on with her bodyguard, she'd scotch her security detail with benefits to make schnitzel with this leading man.

Danny DeVito & Lady Gaga

After splitting from Rhea Perlman, his wife of 30 years, DeVito (It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia) sets his sights on a less age appropriate amore. The timing couldn't be any better for the pop singer known for her unhinged fashion sense either. Gaga could really use a high

profile fling even if it turns into a bad romance. Maybe she can even land a part in Triplets, the long awaited sequel to 1988's Twins.



Amy Poehler & Jamie Foxx

After parting ways with hubby Will Arnett this past fall, Poehler (Parks and Recreation) is looking for a new funny man to light up her world. The smooth talking Foxx, who plays the president in White House Down and a freed slave in Django Unchained, is just what the doctor ordered to get sassy Poehler back in the relationship game.

And who is the next soon-to-be splits?

While Kim K and Kris Humphries' mere 72-day-union may be difficult to beat, here are some candidates well worth drafting in the first round of your 2013 celebrity break up pool.

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Avril Lavigne & Chad Kroeger

Prediction: Chad will go ahead and make things so complicated ... with the wedding planning. His insistence on hiring a pyrotechnic coordinator, an arctic fox wrangler and an 'I do' mic check man all in a vain attempt to prevent reporters from writing "this was even blander than a Nickelback show" in their wedding reviews will backfire.





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Brian Austin Green & Megan Fox

Donna's boyfriend on Beverley Hills 90210 must pinch himself every morning when he wakes up and comes to the realization that he's in bed with Hollywood's most ogled actress. Green is flexing his previously underutilized comic muscles in his latest gig as the lead singer on Wedding Band, a TBS sitcom. Meanwhile Fox's cleavage steals the trailer to Judd Apatow's This is 40. Both roles may be career altering, creating the kind of festering inequity and resentment that leads to break ups.

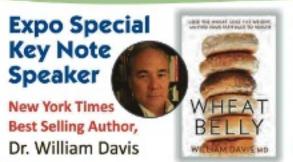




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Celluloid Soothsayers

On the eve of the 21st century's Bar Mitzvah, we dissect three films that were set in 'future' 2013. Maybe it's the pall of unluckiness associated with the number 13 in Western culture, but dystopian scenarios were the consensus.

MIKE DOJC

Escape from L.A. (1996)

Snake Plissken, Kurt Russell as a monosyllabic scofflaw with an eyepatch and a permanent five-o'clock shadow, is charged with retrieving a doomsday device from Los Angeles, a city converted into a massive prison colony after a devastating earthquake separated it from mainland California. Prediction: John Carpenter imagines a fascist America where the constitution has been shredded. Smoking and red meat are verboten, all marriages must be approved by the department of health and wave goodbye to freedom of religion too. Reality: California's coffers have been savaged. Governor Jerry Brown came into office last year saddled with a crushing \$28 billion budget gap, the weight of which threatens to turn the residents of this financially underwater state into debt slaves pay

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ing sky-high taxes. Verdict: While the San Fernando Valley may not be surfable, it is drowning in red ink.

District 13: Ultimatum (2009)

Damien and Leito are back for another parkour-fuelled adrenaline ride. This time they're defusing a civil war that is breaking out between the five gangs living in D13, the walledin Parisian ghetto from the first flick. **Prediction:** Parkour will become de rigueur on the urban street, with gangbangers turning rues into their personal jungle gyms. **Reality:** Freerunning spring-legged Frenchmen vaulting, climbing and freewheeling over everything in their path is a far less common sight on the streets of Paris than sad-eyed mimes or young lovers locked in the country's vaunted kissing style.

Verdict: Sure, parkour may not be the new skateboarding, but

you do see a lot more of the kinetic art form on network television.



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The Postman (1997)

Kevin Costner, always a sucker for pretentious, lengthy epics à la Waterworld, couldn't resist starring as a post-apocalyptic superstar in this 177-minute snoozer. **Prediction:** Resuscitating a defunct postal service is key to bringing hope back to a bedraggled society. **Reality:** While all-out nuclear war doesn't appear to be on our doorstep, postal services the world over are certainly hurting as mail volume drops and the USPS is fathoming closing more offices and ending Saturday delivery service. **Verdict:** When it comes to forecasting the future, what we have here is a failure to deliver, but Tom Petty is good for a couple half-hearted yuks as a future version of himself.





Actors to watch ... they will be stars in 2013



Selena Gomez

Where we've seen her: Practising magic on the Disney Channel's Wizards of Waverly Place, and on the arm of Justin Bieber — though not as much lately. Why she'll be big in 2013: Don't pigeonhole this former child star just yet. Gomez turns in an attention-grabbing performance in Harmony Korine's Spring Breakers alongside Vanessa Hudgens and James Franco, in a film described as "Scarface meets Britney Spears."

Key quote: "Don't see it," Gomez said when asked what she'd tell her younger fans about Spring Breakers



Teresa Palmer

Where we've seen her: As a gun-toting alien refugee in I Am Number Four.

Why she'll be big in 2013: The actress finds herself the object of a zombie's affections in Warm Bodies, out in early 2013, and later she shares the screen with Christian Bale and Natalie Portman in Terrence Malick's Knight of Cups.

Key quote: "You never know when the next up-and-comers will be in the spotlight so people forget you. There's no guarantees," says Palmer, keeping lists like these in perspective.



Dane DeHaan

Where we've seen him: Using his superpowers for evil in Chronicle and making moonshine with Shia LaBeouf in Lawless

Why he'll be big in 2013: He steals scenes from Daniel Radcliffe in Kill Your Darlings and from Ryan Gosling in the Place Beyond the Pines, and he's just been tapped to play Harry Osborne in the next Amazing Spider-Man

Key quote: "I don't know that I do spend a lot of time preparing myself for stardom," DeHaan says. "When someone comes up to me and tells me they really like me, I just say 'Thank you."



Anthony Mackie

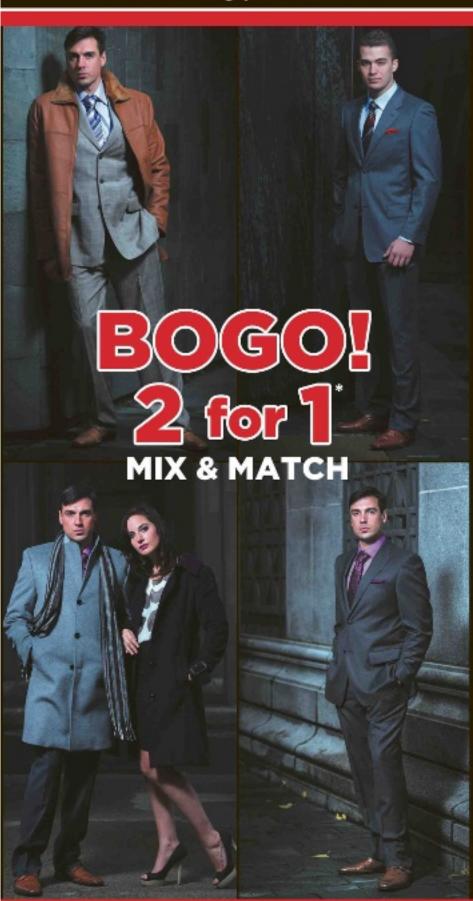
Where we've seen him: Defusing bombs in The Hurt Locker and betting on fighting robots in Real

Why he'll be big in 2013: He teams with Josh Brolin and Ryan Gosling in Gangster Squad. Then he's got Michael Bay's action comedy about murderous bodybuilders, Pain & Gain, alongside Mark Wahlberg and Dwayne Johnson.

Key quote: "He's turned into a hot-fudge sundae since I worked with him the last time," Mackie says of re-teaming with Half-Nelson co-star Gosling, **MWN**



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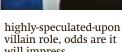
THE BIG MOVIES OF 2013

Star Trek: Into **Darkness**

JJ Abrams has been keeping us waiting four years for the followup to his fantastic reboot of the sci-fi juggernaut. But if it's anything like the first film, the wait will have been well worth it. And with Sherlock star Benedict Cumberbatch coming onboard in a



will impress.





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The World's End

Speaking of long waits, Edgar Wright is going to finally finally! — release the last entry in his Cornetto Trilogy, after Shaun of the Dead and Hot Fuzz. The film follows pals played by Simon Pegg and Nick Frost as they relive a pub crawl that may or may not coincide with the apocalypse.

Ender's Game

Science-fiction fans have been waiting a long, long time for a film adaptation of Orson Scott Card's tale of kids training to battle aliens in the near future, but the wait is (almost)

over. The cast is stacked with the likes of Harrison Ford, Sir Ben Kingsley and Viola Davis, plus high-brow younger talent like Hailee Steinfeld (True Grit), Abigail Breslin (Little Miss Sunshine) and Asa Butterfield (Hugo) as Ender.

Don Jon's Addiction

After learning on the job from directors like Steven Spielberg, Christopher Nolan and Rian Johnson in 2012, Joseph GordonLevitt steps behind the camera himself for the first time with this modern-day take on Don Juan, co-starring Scarlett Iohansson, Gordon-Levitt also stars and wrote the screenplay.



Man of Steel

There's a lot riding on Zack Snyder's attempt to reboot the Superman franchise seven vears after Bryan Singer's droopy Superman Returns. If it succeeds, it

will serve as the jumpingoff point for the Justice League, DC Comics' attempt to steal some of that Avengers thunder from rival Marvel. But will new star Henry Cavill make an impression with audiences?

Kill Your Darlings

Daniel Radcliffe ventures the furthest he's gone yet from his Harry Potter roots in firsttime director John Krokidas' true-life tale of the early days of the Beat Generation and the murder that nearly drove them apart. Radcliffe stars as poet Allen Ginsburg in his undergrad days at Columbia University.



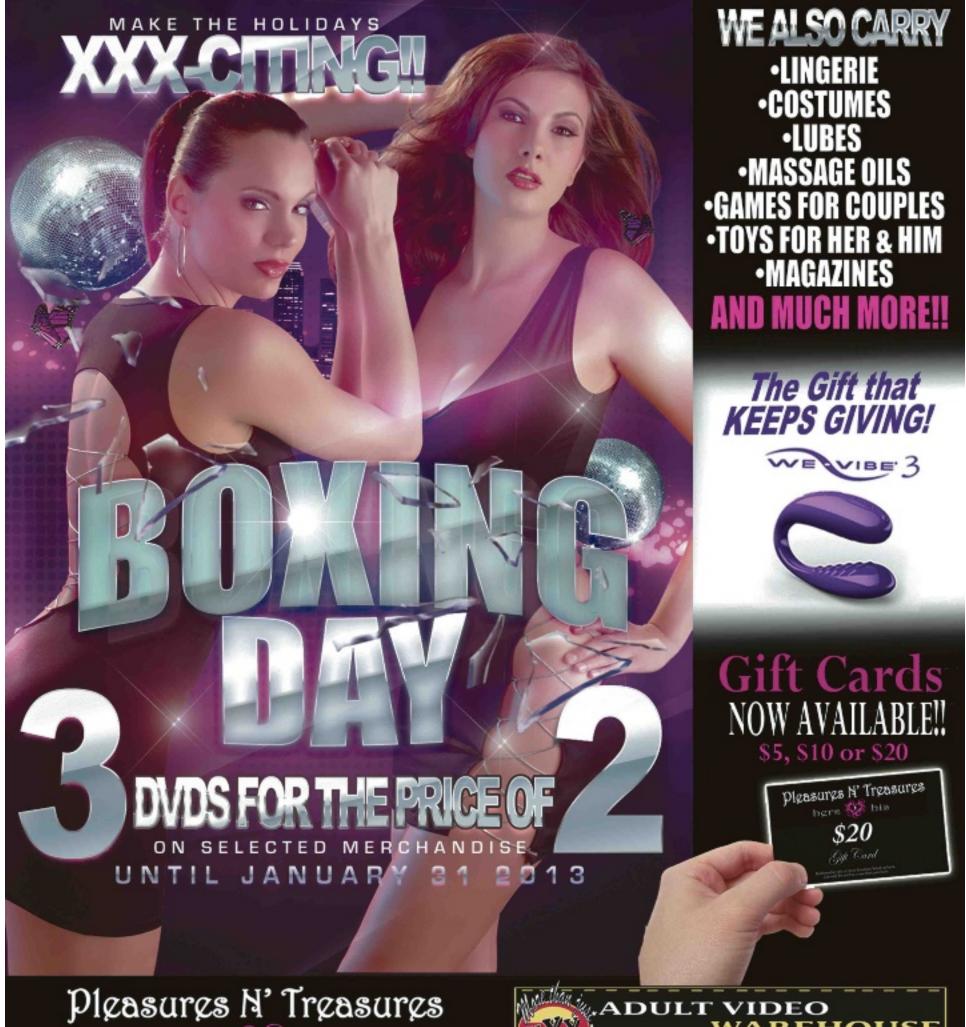
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(Nicholas Hoult) who falls for a potential victim (Teresa Palmer) looks to have plenty of wit, charm and life to it. It's no Twilight.





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Food trends don't come out of nowhere; they grow and evolve from years passed and embody the current thinking and influences of a culture. Like other artists, chefs get inspiration from the world around them, searching for new and tongue-tickling treasures. Fresh ideas, ingredients and techniques are highlighted in culinary competitions like Bocuse D'or in France, which serves as inspiration to restaurants first and then trickle into the mainstream. The following year, we see grocery stores and retailers introducing these same flavours and trends to give us home cooks a chance to play along. Next year will see us continue on a healthy/wholesome kick.

BY THERESA ALBERT, MYFRIENDINFOOD.COM



Year of the whole beast ...

"Nose to tail" cooking has been around for a few years as chefs strut their peasant pleasures and use up every bone and organ an animal can offer. Now, the idea has come home to roost. Look for "whole beast" parties to surge. Head on, big meals like roast suckling pig, whole duck on a spit and a whole salmon in a big backyard smoker will treat you this summer.



... and the veggies

As our global luck would have it, the opposite trend has taken hold as vegetarians, vegans and flexitarians take the reins. Veggies as a main dish won't be relegated to the sidebar. Look for kale, collards and other greens to be dressed for success with beans for the vegans and sausage or bacon for the rest to make a whole meal. It's a good thing too, because the numbers show that we still aren't eating nearly enough greens.



Delicious food trends for 2013

Off the rails taco fusions

Tacos are king but it isn't just the ground beef and chili powder variety that will make the grade anymore. Look for fusion flavours with Asian cabbage and Harrisa paste in a classic corn tortilla. The wilder the combo, the cooler it will be. Creative textures, shapes and sizes of the shells will morph too ... ice cream cone filled with pulled chicken with crème fraiche, anyone?



Seaweed so good

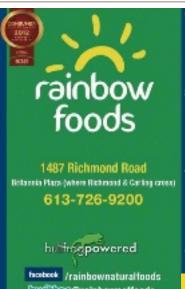
Darwinian beings came from the sea and now we go back to it for taste and nutrients. Seaweed is a huge "new" (yet ancient) food. No longer just wrapped around sushi or as dulse from the east coast, expect to find it in crackers, breads, as a topping and a snack. Seaweed, after all, contains more minerals than any other food on the planet. Look for sushi nori to crop up in salads and other recipes, and flavoured seaweed to come to a potato chip aisle near you.





The tiniest taste

Mini-me is key. Everything small is big. Going further than the tapas trend, this one allows one mouthful of a pleasure to be enjoyed while leaving room for healthier fuel; baby burgers will incorporate herbs and greens, mini grilled cheese, mini corn dogs and super cute cubes of cake satisfy. Perhaps we have figured out that it doesn't have to be massive to hit the spot. (Here's hoping!)





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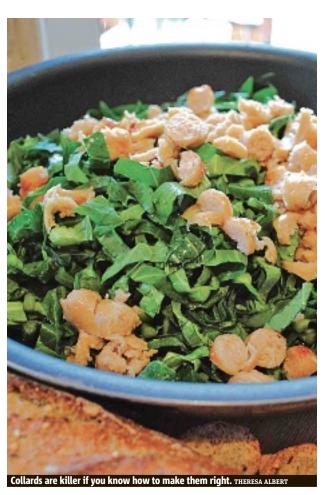
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Collard Greens with Sausage



Collard Greens are cheap and yet are one of the most popular vegetables. What a combo!

Many, though, don't know how to cook them. In the Southern U.S. they simmer them low and slow. Brazilians sliver them into thin strips and do a quick sauté. Our method is somewhere in the middle to save you time and keep the leaves al dente.

This flexitarian meal can be completely vegan or sausaged to the nines to suit your group. Keep toppings separate and serve as a main course with a crusty loaf of bread and some nice hummus or sharp cheese.

1. Rinse greens and chop off stems. Discard. Roll leaves width wise in stacks of 4 or 5 leaves. Slice thinly across the leaf (chiffonade) to create ribbons that are about ¼ inch thick or less. Place into a large pot with a lid containing ¼ cup of water. Bring to a boil, then turn down to simmer over medium-high heat to cook down for 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Stir in butter, honey, salt and white pepper. Simmer fur-

ther for 15 minutes.

2. Place toppings in bowls on the table and serve with warm bread.

3. Enjoy! THERESA ALBERT

Ingredients

Serving Size: 8, prep time: 10 minutes

- 2 bunches collard greens — about 10 cups chopped
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 tbsp butter
- 1 tbsp honey
- 1 teaspoon salt (or less to taste)
- 1 teaspoon white pepper

Toppings

 2 cups cooked breakfast sausage, cooked bacon or canned white beans that have been warmed

Sushi for dummies. Add salmon, chicken or pork for extra taste



Ingredients

Serves 4, Prep Time: 5 min

- 2 Cups, cooked, short grain rice (or any other leftover rice)
- 2-3 tbsp rice vinegar
- 1 tbsp sov sauce
- 1 cup sliced cucumber
- 1/2 cup carrot, grated or shaved
- 1/2 cup diced red pepper
- 2 sheets toasted nori, ripped or cut into pieces
- 1/2 avocado

1. Place rice on individual plates or bowls.

2. Season with vinegar and soy sauce — stir with a fork (so rice doesn't clump together).

3. Top with remaining ingredients.

THERESA ALBERT

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Baby Spinach Burgers with Blue Cheese

Yum. Turkey beef burgers with a twist

- 1. Finely chop baby spinach and set aside. In a large bowl mix bread crumbs, egg, ketchup and Worcestershire and both ground
- **2.** Mix baby spinach into burger mixture.
- **3.** Form 12 small oval patties with the burger mixture and set aside on a cookie sheet. Preheat a cast iron skillet, smear with

a drizzle of oil and wipe with paper towel. Cook 4 to 6 burger patties at a time over medium heat for 15 to 20 minutes, turning once or twice.

- **4.** For Blue Cheese Sauce: mix sauce ingredients together in a small bowl to serve as topping.
- **5.** Serve 2 to 3 mini burgers on whole wheat dinner rolls with a side salad or veggies to dip as an entree or just one as an appetizer.

6. Dig in!

Ingredient

Serving size 4, prep time 15 minutes

- 1 cu
- spinach leaves
 3/4 cup bread
 crumbs, seasoned
- 1 egg
- 2 tbsp ketchupFew shakesWorcestershire sauce
 - 1 pound extra lean ground beef or bison
- 1/4 pound

ground turkey4 whole wheat dinner rolls

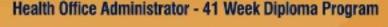
Blue Cheese Sauce

- 1/2 cup plain low-fat
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- blue cheese

 1/2 tsp Dijon mustard
- salt and pepper



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Horoscopes reveal what 2013 has in store

↑ Aries March 21 - April 20

The New Year has arrived and with it loads of responsibilities. Expect to be thrown into uncanny situations throughout 2013 that will unfold into valuable lessons, ones that will teach you more about yourself than others.

Taurus April 21 - May 21

Career will be challenging for the first part of 2013. However, with patience by mid 2013 you will not drive yourself up the wall hoping for that perfect job because you will realize you are already in it, or magically you will be placed into it.

∐ Gemini May 22 - June 21

Romance and personal relationships will be a concern in the first quarter of 2013, but by Spring you experience a shift in the romance department and your focus will mainly be on friendship and family. One tip for 2013: Try not to take people too seriously. Especially those who take themselves way too seriously!

9 Cancer June 22 - July 23

Think more progressive and positive. You have the tendency to over think things way past the point of healthy pondering and at times that causes you to undertake unnecessary emotional torment caused by thought. In 2013 you can flip the script just by flipping your thought pattern.

Ω Leo July 24 - Aug. 23

This entire year will be one of personal challenges for you. Don't fret, these will be positive challenges. You will be learning facts about your character, ones that you may not like so much. Nevertheless, this will cause you to practice new personality skills and by 2014 you will feel like a new

W Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

In 2013 people will appreciate that you do not have to be told what needs to be done. You just get it done. You will be viewed as on-the-ball and that means Managers, supervisors, co-workers, friends and family, will flock to you for advice regarding a multitude of concerns.

📤 Libra Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Do not be discouraged when plans refuse to unfold according to your wishes, and especially in the love department. Expect fluctuations of high ups and low downs and you will not be disappointed when loved ones say one thing but do another. Just do your best to be your best and 2013 will be relatively cool.

M Scorpio Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

Some people feel you can be harsh at times. Like the ol saying goes "it's a dirty job, but someone's gotta do it" and you do it well because you know how to keep it real. So in 2013 when you are packing a punch do not second guess or guilt trip yourself... You gotta do what ya gotta do!



Sagittarius

This will be a year of love, joy and peace for you. Of course there will be some bumpy roads during the ride, but nothing will be too much for you to handle. Winter brings love. Spring will offer joy in career. Summer brings peace. Fall will have you busy like a bee, but you will make loads of honey money.

り Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

In 2013 if anyone dares to impose havoc on you or anybody you care for, they will feel your wrath. Your authoritative side will rise in February and will not ease up until early Fall. Your gentle side will be reserved for those who behave.

Aquarius Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Listen to your heart. It will speak loud and clear all throughout 2013. Your gut instinct will be on point and if you ignore your intuition you will want to kick yourself. So to prevent unnecessary upset, pay attention to your inner voice and follow through on what it is saving.

H Pisces Feb. 20 - March 20

Money will flow to you more regularly in 2013, but first you will have to develop a better relationship with dollars and coins by saving your cash and refusing to spend frivolously. CERISE FAIRFAX, LIFE COACH AND AS-TROLOGER (CERISEFAIRFAX.COM)

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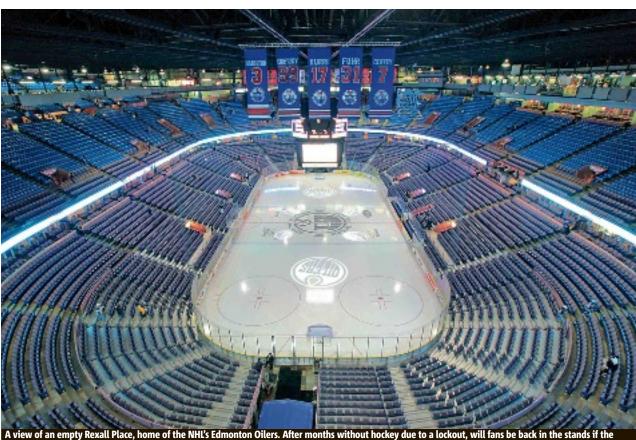


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Fed up fans to lock out NHL with boycott pledge



A view of an empty Rexall Place, home of the NHL's Edmonton Oilers. After months without hockey due to a lockout, will fans be back in the stands if t season returns in the new year? TIM SMITH/GETTY IMAGES FILE

Just Drop It. Campaign calls for hockey supporters to drop everything related to the sport after Dec. 21



Steve Chase and his friends pledge to boycott one NHL game for every game cancelled after Dec. 21 and they're sticking by it.

The 55-year-old commer-

cial director, a Montrealer who lives in Los Angeles, started a grassroots campaign called Just Drop It that encourages fans to drop everything hockey-related — no merchandise, no TV, no game tickets.

"We don't want to destroy our game," he told Metro. "We just want them to pay attention to us.... We decided a fair thing would be to just make it one for one. If you cancel a game, we cancel a game."

Chase created a video that has been viewed a total of 100,000 times on YouTube and Vimeo, as well as a Facebook

Quote

"They will support the team at the end of the day no matter what."

Dr. Joti Samra on the psychology of sports fans

page, which already has more than 19,000 likes.

"Our goal was to be heard," he said. "We're knocking on the door of that meeting saying, 'Guys, we're the people paying you. We're a little annoyed that you're disregarding and disrespecting us."

Chase said he hopes fans will live up to the pledge's

challenge.

"I hope people stick to it because we need to send a little bit of a message: 'Guys, don't do this again,'" he add-

But Dr. Joti Samra, host and psychologist on the Oprah Winfrey Network's Million Dollar Neighbourhood, said that fans may be upset rantweets

Will you tune in to hockey if the NHL returns in the new year?

@taboada93:

I don't think so it's so sad with how they're handling the NHL lockout. It's dragging on badly

@xonor8:

NO NO NO

@dh from kw:

Yes, good things are worth waiting for. MTS Centre is always electric. Love being part of it.

@AlanSimpson:

No. What goodwill that was built by the return of the Jets is gone. Again.

@Primlar

I plan to avoid as many @NHL games as are locked out, once a deal is reached. They lose this season, I'll skip 2013-14.

@dkwesty:

NO!!! going to stay with WHL And Sylvan Lake Admirals etc.

now about the contract negotiations, but they're not going to be able to resist the temptation.

"When it comes to sport we're pretty forgiving fans, whether our team is playing or not, whether they win or not," she said.

"It's frustrating now because for a lot of people the big part of their social activities revolve around sports, especially this time of year when the days are shorter, and people are inside more ... but fans are fans. They will support the team at the end of the day no matter what."



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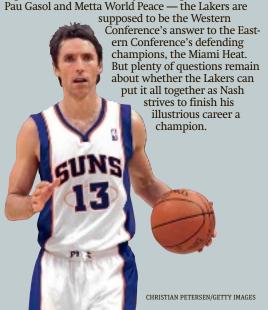
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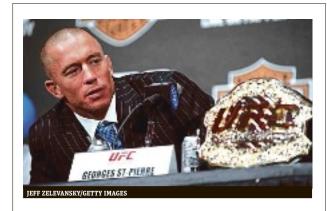
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Steve Nash

By the time the NBA playoffs roll around, the spotlight will be squarely on Vancouver's Steve Nash and the Los Angeles Lakers. The 38-year-old two-time most valuable player is in his 17th season and is still in search of his first NBA title. On a team loaded with big-name talent — Kobe Bryant, Dwight Howard, Pau Gasol and Metta World Peace — the Lakers are





Georges St-Pierre

It will without question be the biggest fight in MMA history. Montreal's Georges St-Pierre is expected to square off against UFC middleweight champion Anderson Silva sometime in 2013 in what is being dubbed simply the "super fight." St-Pierre and Silva are considered the best pound-forpound fighters in MMA, and the showdown should finally put to rest the question of who is the best. St-Pierre goes into 2013 on a high after winning a blood-filled five-round decision over Carlos (Natural Born Killer) Condit in November to unify the welterweight title. He also showed he

has lots left in the tank after missing 18 months due to knee surgery.

Nathan MacKinnon

The electrifying forward from Cole Harbour, N.S., has been the front-runner to be selected No. 1 overall in the NHL draft for more than a year now. MacKinnon, 17, raises fans of the Halifax Mooseheads out of their seats with his high-octane speed and ability to score goals in bunches. He hails from the same hometown as Sidney Crosby — generating



comparisons between the two despite significantly different styles of play — and is facing plenty of competition from Portland Winterhawks defenceman Seth Jones, among others. The battle could go right down to the wire on the draft stage at Prudential Center in Newark, N.J., on June 28.

Milos Raonic

With almost \$1.2 million in prize money and two tournament victories, 2012 was certainly kind to Toronto's Milos Raonic. But with success comes higher expectations and Canadian tennis fans from coast-to-coast will be looking for this 21-year-old power server to elevate his game even further in 2013. Fans will be watching closely at the four majors too, where Raonic went 8-4 this year. His best finish came at the U.S. Open where he made it to the quarter-finals before dropping a straight-sets decision to Andy Murray.



Graham DeLaet

Graham DeLaet isn't a house-hold name to most Canadian golf fans but 2013 could be the year he becomes one.

The Weyburn, Sask., native is coming off a solid season on the PGA Tour. DeLaet played in 23 tour events in 2012, made 17 cuts, finished in the top five twice and earned a cool \$1.05 million. His best finish was a tie for fourth in the Zurich Classic of New Orleans, and in the FedEx Cup playoffs DeLaet made it to the third round. All



that's really left is his first PGA tour victory, which many think could happen in 2013.



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